

HAPPY NEW YEAR

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December 24	39.1	29.2
December 25	40.1	35.4
December 26	39.8	35.5
December 27	40.3	30.5
December 28	31.0	23.8

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THE CULMINATION when George McAvoy received the world championship hockey cup for Canada and the Vees from the hands of J. F. Ahearne, president of the International Ice Hockey Association. Captain Bobrov of the Russian group is holding the European silver trophy and is congratulating the winner.

When Vees Won World Hockey Championship

Penticton A Household Word Around World In '55

Top news story of the year, insofar as Penticton is concerned, was the winning of the world hockey championship by the storied Penticton Vees who, on Sunday, March 6, at Krefeld, West Germany, defeated Russia's best to restore to Canada the championship lost in 1954 to the Russians.

Shopping Hours For New Year's

With the exception of Super-Valu and Safeway most stores in Penticton will be closed all day on Tuesday next week. Monday all stores will be closed, of course, in observance of the New Year, although New Year's Day falls on Sunday.

Starting on Saturday, December 31, the majority of merchants will close up shop at six o'clock. This Saturday early closing will continue for six months.

The government liquor store will be open on Friday evening, December 30, and on Saturday, December 31, until 9 p.m. It will be open on Tuesday and resume regular hours from that date.

It was a big story and a happy story which blazoned the name of Penticton on the front pages of newspapers across the world. And, as a result of this wide-spread publicity, Penticton, without any major conventions recorded one of its best tourist years in its history.

The story proper, began on February 12, when Penticton turned out en masse to wish Canada's hopes God speed and good luck.

It ended on March 16, when the Vees alighted from the plane at the Penticton airport to be met with an uproarious welcome from the people, not only of Penticton, but from all the valley, who gathered here to hall the world champions.

In between those dates, February 12 and March 16, were storied days of travel and hockey. The Vees played, in all, 17 hockey games, eight being play-off games.

They played hockey in Berlin, Prague, Krefeld, Dusseldorf, Cologne, Dortmund, Zest, Mannheim, Paris and London—they tied one exhibition game with Czechs and lost the last game of the tour to the Harringway Racers.

They were gone only 32 days, but in that short period of time they wrote a page of hockey history unique in the annals of ice hockey, for the world-championship hockey series of 1955 were, willy nilly, a part of the cold war.

So, as 1955 slides into the limbo of history, we in Penticton salute the Penticton Vees who carved out on the ice sheets of far off lands, Penticton's number one story of the year.

Tractor Badly Damaged In Blaze At Osoyoos

OSOYOOS — Fire badly damaged a tractor belonging to Henry Schalge of Osoyoos Tuesday when an apparent short circuit started a fire which exploded the sediment bowl. Mr. Schalge was starting the tractor to move some spray equipment into his garage. The Osoyoos fire department was called when it seemed possible that the fire might spread to nearby buildings but the fire was confined to the tractor.

The regular monthly Baby Clinic will be held January 3, in the Naramata school from 2:30 to 4 p.m. Please phone the South Okanagan Health Unit, at 5751 for appointments.

Jaycees' Lightup Contest Winners

Between 50 and 60 cars joined a caravan Tuesday night and followed three judges on an hour long trip through city streets as they looked at entries in the annual Jaycees' Light Up For Christmas contest.

In the residential entry list, first prize was awarded to Miss Vicki White who decorated the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. White, of 361 Winnipeg Street. First Prize in commercial entries went to radio station CKOK.

For householders, Mrs. A. A. Swift of 281 Haynes street was second, Tim McCarthy of Skaha Lake third, with honorable mention to Mrs. E. W. Hughes of 1096 Moose Jaw street.

Second for commercial entries was won by Slim's Spark Shop, third by Penticton Agencies and honorable mention to A. S. Bella.

Judges were J. J. van Winke-laar, Board of Trade president, Merv Allan, Jaycees president, and Harold Barritt, parks foreman.

Grant Sylvester, who was (Continued on Page Six)

Stork Derby In Penticton; Gifts For First Baby Of '56

Lucky the first baby to arrive in Penticton General Hospital in 1956! Here is the list of gifts for the Mother, the Father, and the baby: from the Hudson's Bay, Mother gets an 1881 Rogers' silverplate set of a baby mug, fork and spoon, and to the proud Father will go 50 cigars; Turk's Pharmacy has an attractive present for the Mother and the baby; Cameo Studio will take a free portrait of the little newcomer in full color; from Betts Electric will go an electric baby bottle warmer and from Robinson's Store there is an Esmond Blanket "to wrap the baby bunting in."

Laundreland will dryclean a dress for the Mother and a suit for the Dad; Star and Emerald Cleaners will donate dry-cleaning, too.

From Super Valu there will be a large quantity of Heinz baby food.

Penticton Retreading will help the Father go to the hospital every day by retreading a tire; Royal Dairy will supply free ice cream and free milk for one month; Valley Dairy will also give milk free for a month.

The Dad will get a new tie from Bryant and Hill, Knight's Pharmacy will equip the new babe with a set of powder, oil, and soap, while Dean's Tots and Teens are to present a hand-crocheted baby set.

Then so that they will be kept warm Penticton Dray and Express is donating a half ton of coal to the happy family.

Last Rites Today For E. O. Atkinson

Death on Christmas Day brought to a close a long record of residence in British Columbia for Edward Octavius Atkinson, who passed away in Penticton Hospital in his 88th year.

Born in Yorkshire, he was the eighth son of Dr. Edward Atkinson, F.R.S., F.R.C.S., honorary surgeon to the Leeds Infirmary and chief surgeon to Lord Raglan during the Crimean War. Florence Nightingale was a member of his staff.

Mr. Atkinson was educated at the Leeds Grammar School and came to Canada in 1888, arriving in Calgary during one of the worst winters on record.

After spending a year on the prairie, he moved to Victoria and until moving to Penticton in April, 1907, he was in charge of the forwarding branch and foreign mails and retired as assistant postmaster of the Vancouver General Postoffice.

One of his most exciting experiences was the transporting of mail on the CPR mainline during the great Fraser River flood of 1894.

He was postmaster of Penticton from 1907 to 1910 when the office was in the Schubert store at the corner of Vancouver avenue and Ellis street.

He planted one of the first orchards on the Main Bench where he continued to reside and operate until his death. For many years he was a successful private fruit shipper.

Throughout his life he was associated with church choirs. At one time he sang with Judge Sir Matthew Begbie in Victoria.

He was a member of St. Savil church and a member of the Penticton (Continued on Page Eight)



E. O. ATKINSON

Thieves Like Fishing Tackle

Thieves stole about \$350 worth of fishing equipment from two Penticton homes over the holiday weekend.

Heaviest loser was R. A. McMillan of Alexander Avenue who lost about \$280 worth of tackle. Nothing else in the home appears to have been touched.

Ian McPhile of Creekside had a McPhile fishing tackle valued at about \$175 taken from his home.

There's Plenty Doing To Celebrate Coming Of New Year In Penticton

Bert Thomas In Training For January Swim, Brrrrr

SEATTLE — Bert Thomas, who gained fame by being the first person to swim the Strait of Juan De Fuca but was defeated last summer in an attempt on Lake Okanagan, today took some practice strokes in the cold waters of Puget Sound.

The husky logger-swimmer is preparing for his January 14 effort to swim Puget Sound from Seattle to Tacoma, Wash. "I've been swimming about three miles each day for the past few days," he said. "I even was out Christmas Day, while most people were enjoying their turkey dinners."

Funeral Services Today For W. Hack

SUMMERLAND — This community was deeply shocked at the sudden death of William Hack, highly regarded orchardist, at the age of 52 years.

Mr. Hack died of a heart attack for which he had been hospitalized for some time. His condition improved and 10 days before his death he had gone home from Summerland General Hospital where he had seemed to be convalescing.

He is survived by his wife, a daughter Mrs. Norma Henry, who is a teacher at Kettle River; one brother Anson of Victoria, two sisters, Mrs. Basil Stewart, Kimberley, Mrs. Mary (Continued on Page 5)

Two Hefalds Next Week

With Monday, January 2, being observed as New Year's day, the Herald will not publish on that date.

There will be two publications next week on Wednesday and Friday, January 4 and 5.

Normal tri-weekly publication resumes on January 6.

ASSESSMENT NOTICES

Summerland 1956 assessment notices are to be in the mail tomorrow J. P. Sheeley, assessor, reports.

Some Holiday Accidents But None Serious

A number of accidents in which cars were extensively damaged but no one seriously hurt, occurred here over the holiday weekend, police report.

icy road conditions were largely to blame.

An unidentified Vancouver motorist rolled his new Austin car over at Watts' Flats, this side of Keremcos.

Frank Boulthée of Penticton rolled his vehicle over on the Naramata Highway. It was extensively damaged.

Pat Patterson's vehicle was heavily damaged when it hit a telephone pole on Krugers Hill. He is also from Penticton.

Most spectacular accident occurred when John Redstone's Hillman rolled over on Roadhouse Hill and plummeted 350 feet down the embankment.

A Mr. Davis of Kelowna rolled his car over near Skaha Lake and the car was heavily damaged.

Police say it is a miracle that the motorists escaped injury.

The Gyros and Kiwanis are having a joint New Year's party on the SS Scammon, the Legion is staging a Platter Dance starting any time after eight in the evening; this is not a cabaret, and will be semi-formal with the usual gay novelties and delicious refreshments.

At the Incola Hotel the United Commercial Travellers Association is having a private party and at the Hotel Prince Charles the Jaycees will hold their annual New Year's Dance. It is understood that tickets for others than Jaycees may be obtained for this event if desired.

Sunday midnight preview at the Capitol features a comedy "Seven Years' Itch".

City Youngster Hurt Sleighing

An 11-year-old boy, Fred Netherton, is in satisfactory condition in Penticton Hospital after he underwent an operation yesterday for an injury to the spleen.

The boy, son of Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Netherton, was sleigh riding on Campbell Mountain when he rounded a curve, was thrown from the sled into the wheel of a parked car.

His spleen was ruptured in the mishap.

According To The Mood

"There is no doubt in my mind that women are joined in conspiracy against men. Give 'em a chance (women) and they're all like those who hang around the mouth of the Amazon River waiting for someone to fall overboard. And if a man does fall overboard then they (the fish) have him shipped to a skeleton in less time than it took Sugar Ray Robinson to do dirt to Bobo Olson a few weeks back.

It was early Christmas Eve and I knew that I had to quit stalling and do something about my Christmas shopping. Barren of ideas I stupidly appealed to two females to give me some ideas on a gift for my wife.

"O-o-o-o" they chorused. Then they both drew deep breaths and rattled off a list of articles which ranged from a combination dryer and washer, only \$498.50 and

For our old washer, to milk coats.

"They also spoke of jewellery in that hushed, awed tone of voice women use when they're talking about expensive jewellery.

Hereabouts, by screaming, I managed to get a word in and pointed out that my name wasn't Aga Khan, nor was I a newspaper publisher. I was just a guy who worked for a newspaper publisher.

"But you love your wife, don't you?" one asked, making the question sound like an accusation and the other tossed her head and said, "Anyway, when you put off Christmas shopping until the last minute you've got to be prepared to buy something expensive, only the expensive things are left." That was when I left.

I tramped up and down Main street, window shopping in the rain, until who should I run in to but the wife.

It must have been the three

bottles of "Kik" I drank at the office Christmas party which had me addled because I quite cheerfully followed her into a store to pick up, so she said, one or two items she had forgotten when doing her Christmas shopping earlier in the week.

Now I'm one of those types who should be forebodingly restrained at all times from going into a store to pick up, so she said, one or two items she had forgotten when doing her Christmas shopping earlier in the week.

The wife wheeled the buggy. I reached right and left.

The wife never murmured, she just smiled a Mona Lisa kind of smile and wheeled the buggy, and, something I didn't notice until late in the day was that when the top basket got to look like a model of New York's Empire State building, she stacked package upon package below.

Oh, I had a gay old time—dog-

gone it, the Godbers were going to do Christmas up right. The wife had bought the staples earlier, but I was going to see we had the trimmings. I watched approvingly as the Christmas goodies, including the best canned cat food and dog biscuits — no one was to be left out this Christmas — were stacked on the counter. Ting! Ting! went the cash register, then the final ding-a-ling, whirr, whirr, and the verdict, "That," smiled the sales girl, "will be thirty one dollars and eighty cents, please."

"Thirty one dollars and eighty cents please," the wife unnecessarily repeated, holding out her hand. "It's so nice to come shopping with you — you buy things I wouldn't dream of getting."

I paid.

I spent some time trying to kid myself that better than thirty bucks worth of groceries could be called a Christmas gift but

then I thought of Christmas morn and of the bright, but forced and martyred smiles my family would wear if there was nothing from me under the Christmas tree, so off I went hunting again.

Stopped off to rest my aching feet and to gulp a cup of coffee and in desperation appealed to two other women of family acquaintance to suggest a suitable gift for the wife. "Something," I said, hopefully, "that costs about \$5 retail, which I could maybe get for \$2.50 wholesale, but which looks like a million bucks."

The females hummed and a-ahed for a while and then one said, "Why don't you get her a sexy nightgown? She'd just love one — I know I would, I hope my (no names, no packdrill) buys me one for Christmas."

I guess I must have looked at her open-mouthed.

"She'd just love it," my adviser assured me, and her companion joined in soulfully to say, "It would make a lovely gift."

"But why a sexy nightgown?" I asked. "After all I've been married too long to be interested in sexy nightgowns so..."

"Uh! We're not thinking of you, it's just that — well, it makes a woman feel sort of — well, you know."

I didn't know and I still don't know.

And there are still some guys who think they understand women.

I'm still trying to think that one out about sexy nightgowns and my wife also gave me something else to think about over Christmas. It was a nice grey tie with a neat sketch of the Eiffel Tower on the front along with other sketches of landmarks in Paris, France.

A reminder of your little

jaunt overseas with the Vees, the wife cooed.

I didn't think anything of it at the time, but on later examination of the tie I found that on the back side is a colored picture of a female of the species, right out of Esquire, which if hung in an art gallery might get by as art.

Now, I'm wondering if the wife knew of the work of art on the back of the tie and if she did, then what did she mean by saying that the tie was a reminder of my European junket? I hope she hasn't forgotten that I went to Paris to witness and report on a hockey game.

No, I didn't get a mechanical dish washing machine — after all there's no use in putting the cart before the horse. At our house over the year we break a surprisingly number of dishes.

And what is the use of a mechanical dishwasher without dishes? I bought dishes.

And now Christmas has come and went and I count what's left in cents.

Old 1955 has just about had it and so.

"Appy New Year, Appy New Year, Plenty of money and now't to fear."

Horse and a gig and a good fat pig to serve you all next year.

"Ole in me stockin', ole in me shoe, Please will yer gie me a copper or two, If you 'aven't a penny, half-penny will do, Gawd bless you."

Thinking back to that sexy nightgown — business here's the question I should have asked: What makes a flannellette nightgown sexy?

Give up?

The answer — when Marilyn Munroe is in it!

By Sid Godber

Penticton Herald Editorials

Goodbye Old 1955

Another year is fast drawing to a close, and here in Penticton we can wave goodbye to old 1955 with the assurance that the year will live long in our memory. It has been an eventful year and, on the whole, a good year.

In 1955, Penticton, thanks to its hockey team, became world renowned and this publicity, beyond anything that could be bought, brought many new visitors to our gates. And it is reasonably certain that those visitors will come again and bring others with them, and so it goes; the Vees' world hockey victory was like a stone thrown into a pond, the resultant ripples ever widening, and spreading long after calm has succeeded the big splash.

And we have been lucky, very lucky, indeed, in 1955. Penticton escaped floods by a narrow margin. The early spring frosts, it is true, reduced, but not extensively, the soft fruit crop. We had a bumper apple crop and this although dangerously late maturing was harvested before it could be destroyed by the onslaught of winter.

And throughout the year Penticton, without large expenditures from the

public purse has continued to grow with building permits almost to the value of a million-and-three-quarter dollars issued in 1955.

And, as always, Penticton, nestled between its two shimmering lakes, has remained a very pleasant place, indeed, in which to live, work and play.

All is not unalloyed bliss here in Penticton and we would not have it that way — but if people will look carefully at their city and district and compare it with most others, they will realize that they are thrice blest in that their lot is cast in this free country of Canada, in this magnificent province of British Columbia and in this, our own Penticton.

Let us then wave a fond farewell to 1955, enshrine it in our memories as a year in which good fortune outweighed misfortune and let us turn to 1956, confident in the future for ourselves and for the city and district in which we make our homes.

The management and staff of the Penticton Herald joins in wishing one and all a Happy New Year.

A Banner Year

Canada is closing a year marked by unprecedented prosperity and expansion.

With a population of nearly 16,000,000 — an increase of 4,000,000 in 10 years — the Dominion in 1955 either embarked on, or finished a variety of multi-million-dollar projects. Virtually every province shared in the development and even a sketchy outline is impressive.

Newfoundland, celebrating a century of self-government, will spend millions on the exploitation of Labrador's natural resources and plans to revamp the province's fishing industry. Prince Edward Island marked the centennial of its capital, Charlottetown.

Two great projects were completed in Nova Scotia — the Canso Causeway linking Cape Breton Island to the mainland and the Angus Macdonald bridge joining Halifax and Dartmouth. New Brunswick embarked on construction of the \$50,000,000 Beechwood power project, said to be the biggest engineering scheme in the province's history.

On the heels of the opening up of vast iron-ore deposits in Ungava, Quebec came up with the big power development at Bersimis which may eventually have a capacity of 1,800,000 horsepower. In Ontario, the St. Lawrence Seaway and Power project proceeded so rapidly

that excavation for the powerhouse at Cornwall was practically completed at year end.

Although faced with a problem in the disposal of farm surpluses the prairie provinces harvested a bumper grain crop. On a historic note, Alberta and Saskatchewan celebrated their 50th anniversary as federated Canadian provinces.

The Kitimat development of the Aluminum Company of Canada was the springboard for the planning of a variety of projects in British Columbia. The company has already spent some \$300,000,000 and is still expanding. Elsewhere development of power and forest resources foreshadows great industrial growth in the province.

Mining operations in the Northwest Territories increased rapidly and the removal of the town of Aklavik to firm ground on the Mackenzie river delta will cost several million dollars. A six-year extension plan for education of Indians and Eskimos in the Territories is also planned.

Canada's industrial development — to say nothing of her growing stature in international affairs — goes a long way to prove the truth of the statement made some 50 years ago that "the 20th century belongs to Canada".

Those Disappearing Disks

The American Air Force has shot down the "flying saucer". After long and thorough study (and no one can discount the extensiveness and carefulness of the investigation) it has concluded there are no flying ships in the earth's atmosphere carrying little men from other planets.

The findings of the eight-year survey, checking on nearly 5,000 reported sightings of "flying saucers", is contained in a 316-page book, Air Secretary Donald A. Quarles announced. But in doing so he disclosed that a new type of aircraft is being developed under an Air

Force contract with Avro Ltd., of Canada which may result in even more reports on top of those which have followed from weather balloons, reflected lights, and assorted optical illusions.

A 19th-century statesman said of the Austro-Hungarian Empire that if it had not existed it would have been necessary to invent it. Evidently aeronauts have come to this conclusion about the flying saucer; it is too good an idea, not to develop. But while they are at it, how about some extensive research by the physicists in the field of optics to discover what can spark so many flights of fancy? —Christian Science Monitor.



THE WEALTH OF DECORATIONS at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. White, 361 Winnipeg St., which won first prize in the residential entry for their daughter, Miss Vicki White, in the Jaycee annual "Light Up for Christmas" Contest.



SANTA AND HIS REINDEER in light and shadow and choristers on the lawn won first prize in the commercial class in the Jaycee "Light Up For Christmas" contest as CKOK brightened Nanaimo Avenue during the holiday season.

NARAMATA

David Richards arrived from Yellow Knife on Christmas Eve and is currently in Naramata with Mrs. Richards and their four sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Hedley Partridge of Saltcoats, Saskatchewan, were Christmas visitors in Naramata with the former's mother, Mrs. Emma Partridge, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cairn-Duff.

Miss Mildred Kines and Miss Jessie Fraser came from Chilliwack to spend the Christmas weekend visiting. Miss Kines' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kines, and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Day, and sons.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Wray are the former's son, Grant Wray, Mrs. Wray and two children from Blackie, Alberta.

Following a short recess during the holiday season, the Naramata Red Cross workroom group, both afternoon and evening, will resume activities on Thursday, January 5.

Harold A. Mitchell arrived home on Thursday after spending the past month in Shaughnessy Military Hospital, Vancouver.



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NARAMATA NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Clough and children are spending the holiday season in Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Naylor and Vicki came from Spokane to join Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Naylor and their daughter Andrea, and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Roughton, with Jeanie and Geoffrey in travelling to Vancouver to participate in a family Christmas gathering. Mr. and Mrs. Roughton and children have returned to Naramata while

the Naylor family will remain at the coast until after the first of new year.

Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Angus McDonald were their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDonald from Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McDonald and daughter Wendy and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Robertson and son Kenneth, all from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ward spent the Christmas weekend visiting in Kelowna.



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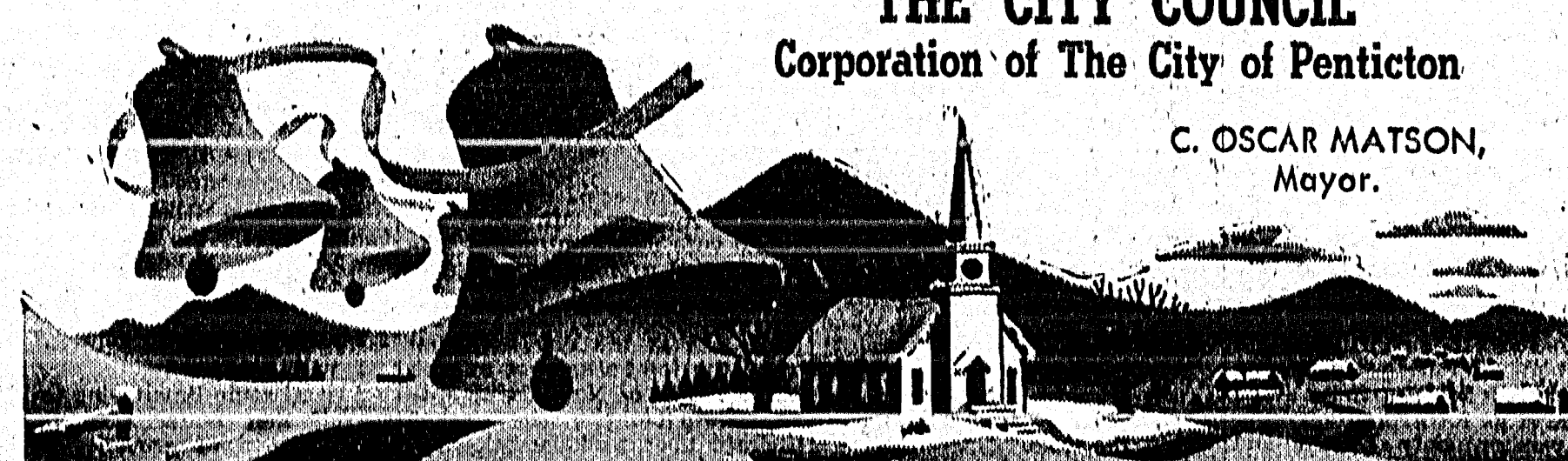
With the approach of another year, we take a long look backward . . . and forward.

We look back upon the past year with deep appreciation of the confidence and loyalty of our friends and neighbours. We look forward with the hope that 1956 will bring Happiness and the strengthening of the important ties of Family, Community and Country.

Best Wishes for a Happy New Year.

THE CITY COUNCIL
Corporation of The City of Penticton

C. OSCAR MATSON,
Mayor.



OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



ONE STROLL AROUND TH' SHOP AND HIS FEET ARE KILLIN' HIM—BUT HE CAN SIT IN THAT CHAIR FOR EIGHT HOURS AND I NEVER SAW HIM MASSAGIN' TH' SEAT OF HIS PANTS!

WELL, HE ALWAYS HAD SHINY SOLES ON HIS SOCKS TRYIN' TO GET WHERE HE'D HAVE A SHINY SEAT ON HIS PANTS! YOU CAN'T GO FAR FROM LUXURY WITHOUT SUFFERIN' ONCE YOU'VE HAD IT!

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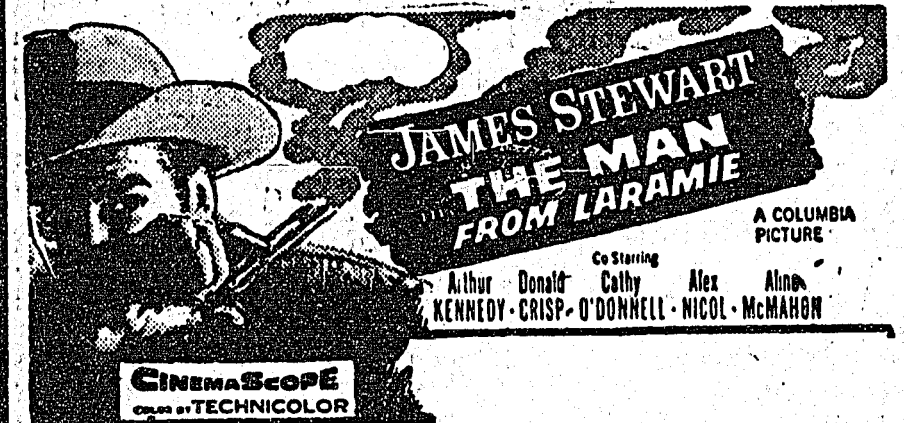
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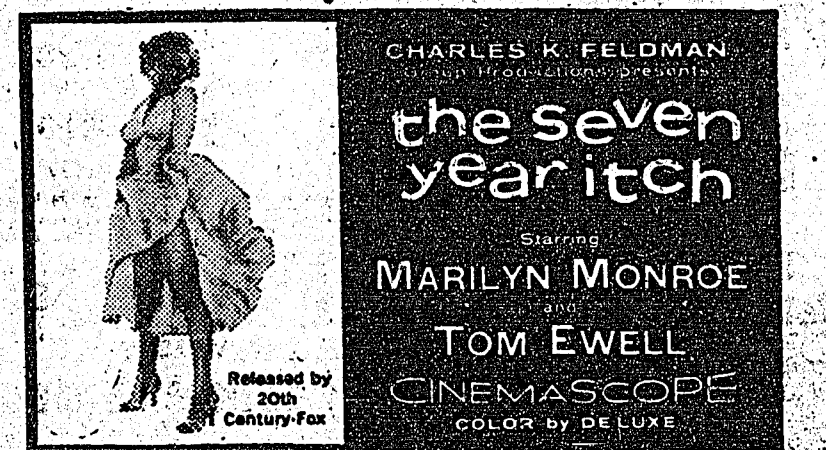
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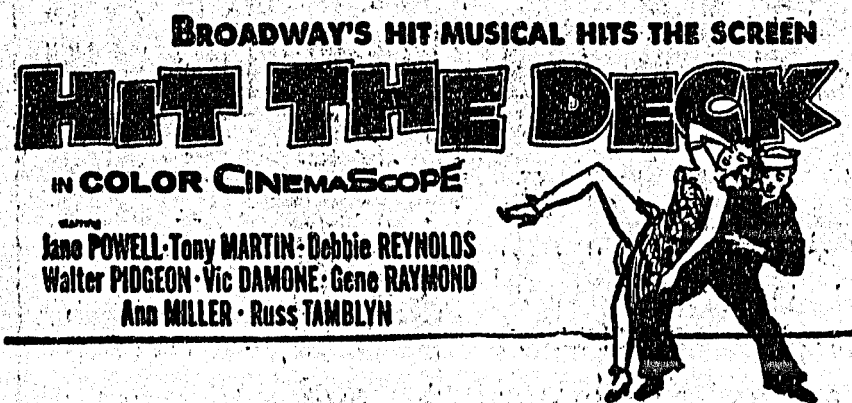
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The Woman's Page

SOCIAL EDITOR

MRS. HAROLD MITCHELL

DIAL 4055

Re-Elected To Head Feder'n

Women's Federation of the Penticton United Church chose Mrs. Guy F. Brock to serve for the second term as president at elections held at the December meeting in the church hall.

Mrs. Kenneth Nicolls, who was elected first vice-president, will also serve as program convener for the ensuing term of office. Mrs. D. Carter, elected second vice-president, will be secretary to the Women's Missionary Society, while third vice-president, Mrs. W. Smith, will be social convener.

Mrs. J. A. Lamb and Mrs. J. A. Cumming will serve as recording and corresponding secretaries, respectively. Mrs. Harold Hoey was elected to the office of treasurer and Mrs. George Clary as missionary treasurer. Mrs. D. A. Craig is press secretary.

Following adjournment of the meeting a very enjoyable Christmas program was presented under the convenship of Mrs. E. W. Unwin. Carol singing and a short skit were followed with a gift exchange and refreshments.

Alderman H. M. Geddes, Mrs. Geddes To Attend Anniversary Celebration

Alderman and Mrs. H. M. Geddes will travel to Eastern Canada to attend the diamond jubilee of the marriage of Mrs. Geddes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Nichol of Owen Sound, Ont. The couple left Penticton December 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicol have five children, all living. Mrs. Geddes being the second youngest, and the only one who resides in the west. The ceremony they are going east to honor was performed at Owen Sound on January 1, 1896. For the special event Mr. and Mrs. Nicol will receive as guests all their friends connected with the Division Street United Church of which Mr. Nicol has been an elder for the past 50 years.

Prior to his retirement, Mr. Nicol was maintenance superintendent of Owen Sound schools. Until fairly recent years, Mrs. Nicol was active in church and community work.

Alderman Geddes has informed council that he will not be on hand for the first meeting of the new year, and has been given leave of absence to attend the diamond wedding.

SUMMERLAND — Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Wright will be interested in the announcement that their daughter, Miss Verna Wright, RN, was married today in the Anglican Church at Simcoe, Ontario, to Wm. McGuire, of Vancouver, son of Mrs. George McGuire of Simcoe, and the late Mr. McGuire. The newly-married couple who flew east for the ceremony will make their home in Vancouver.

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Miss Joan Nagle Bride Of William Keith McLean At Double Ring Ceremony

Candlelight was reflected in bright seasonal decorations to create an effective setting for the wedding of wide interest solemnized in the Penticton United Church last evening when Joan Patricia Nagle became the bride of William Keith McLean. Rev. Ernest Rands was the officiating clergyman at the double ring ceremony. The bride, who is the daughter of Mrs. S. B. Nagle and the late Mr. Nagle, was Penticton Peach Festival Queen Val-Vedette V and Miss PNE for 1952. Her groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McLean.

Her original model gown of heavy brocade satin was designed with its very full skirt, worn over hoops, extending into a slight train and flaring from a long torso with low pointed neckline. A brief jacket with cuffed decolletage and sleeves in lily point was worn over a strapless bodice. A tiara of seed pearls clasped her finger tip veil of illusion; she wore matching pearls as her only jewellery and carried red roses and tiny white chrysanthemums.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Leo Hughes, was attended by Mrs. Charles Virgi, a princess at the time she was festival queen. She wore a turquoise chrome-spun frock fashioned with molded bodice and bouffant skirt over crinoline. Little Miss Susan Gail Hughes, as flower girl, wore a frock of similar design also styled from the pretty turquoise material. They carried colonial bouquets of harmonizing blooms and wore hair circlets of pleated chrysanthems.

Eric Boultbee was best man while ushers were William Hanlon and Norman Richards. Mrs. J. A. English, soloist, was accompanied by church organist Mrs. Monica Craig Fisher.

Alderman F. P. McPherson proposed the toast to the bride at the reception which followed on the SS Scamouss. The toast to the attendants was given by the best man.

Among those receiving the guests were the principals' mothers: Mrs. Nagle attractively attired in a navy ensemble with marten skin necklace, and the groom's mother wearing a rose colored gown with blending accessories.

Assisting in serving were the Misses Maureen McGuire, Peg Weaver, Shirley Lynch, Eleanor Hines, Lila McDonald, Maureen Monaghan, Liz Titchmarsh, Laurie Cox, Catherine Bless and Sally Crook.

A beautiful orchid gown by the bride's aunt, Mrs. W. J. Netherton, centred the yellow carnation corsage worn as floral accent to the new Mrs. McLean's deep colored turquoise travelling costume with its honey beige accessories.

Following a honeymoon trip in the Kootenays, the young couple will take up residence at 325 Agnes street, New Westminster.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. James Forshaw, Greenwood; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rintaul, Mr. and Mrs. Fred White and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rintaul, all of Vancouver.

Wide Interest In Smith-Campbell Nuptial Rites

A wedding of wide local interest was solemnized in Saskatchewan on November 8 when a former Penticton nurse, Miss Edith Campbell of Welwyn, Saskatchewan, became the bride of Donald McKinnin Smith of Govan, Saskatchewan. Rev. G. E. Speers of the Saskatchewan United Church officiated.

The bride is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, Welwyn, and is a graduate of the Grey Nun's Hospital, Regina, while the groom is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Adam Smith of Perthshire, Scotland.

The bride chose a spruce blue nylon and lace gown and wore navy and white accessories. Her corsage was deep pink roses and lily of the valley. She carried a white Bible and wore the groom's gift, a crystal necklace and earrings.

Her only attendant was Mrs. H. D. Stewart, also a nurse graduate of the Grey Nun's Hospital. She wore a navy sheer gown with matching accessories and corsage of pink roses.

H. D. Stewart was best man. A wedding dinner followed at the Bessborough Hotel.

For going away the bride chose a grey charcoal suit topped with a seal coat and coral accessories. On their return from a honeymoon in Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, Portland and the Okanagan Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Smith took up residence at Govan.

Royal Purple Ladies Sponsor Successful Bazaar And Bingo

"Save the Children Fund" is the major objective when Ladies of the Royal Purple Lodge No. 17 raise monies for distribution to numerous worthy causes. These charitable funds were augmented considerably by the very successful bazaar recently in the Legion Hall under the co-convenership of Mrs. Charles Marshall and Mrs. Thomas Morlarty.

Mrs. Walter Penty, honored royal lady of the Penticton lodge, welcomed the many guests who were present during the afternoon to purchase homecooking, attractive merchandise, and others who attended the bazaar that evening to play bingo.

A drawing was made for a number of prizes with Mrs. S. Roberts, Regina, avenue, holding the winning ticket on the fruit cake made and donated as a door prize by Mrs. J. E. Worthing. Mrs. Bertha Forsy from Allen Grove won the crocheted apron and Mrs. John Trabert, Rural Route 1, held the winning ticket in the draw for the beautiful pansy pattern quilt.

Mrs. Louis E. Hohenadel Elected President Of Jr. Hospital Auxiliary

Mrs. Louis E. Hohenadel was elected to succeed Mrs. O. M. MacInnis as president of the Junior Hospital Auxiliary at the annual meeting held last week at the home of Mrs. W. Roy Walker, Lakeshore Drive. Mrs. A. F. Day and Mrs. James Fleming will serve for the ensuing term as first and second vice-presidents respectively.

Mrs. R. V. White was elected to office of recording secretary; Mrs. Walter H. Morgan, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. H. L. Beckett, treasurer.

Mrs. MacInnis, retiring president will serve on the directorate of the auxiliary with Mrs. S. C. Reekie, Mrs. Howard Duncan and Mrs. M. R. Dinney.

Annual reports submitted by current year officers, Mrs. H. B. McGregor, secretary; Mrs. James Fleming, treasurer, and Mrs. MacInnis, testified to the outstanding success of the auxiliary's two annual fund raising events, a spring fashion show and autumn dance, and other projects sponsored during 1955.

Mrs. G. W. James was welcomed as a new member to the auxiliary. She was among those who volunteered when an appeal was made for Junior Auxiliary members to assist in the Senior Hospital Auxiliary requires help for distribution of books through its mobile library service at the Penticton Hospital. Other names listed for this work were Mrs. MacInnis, Mrs. McGregor and Mrs. Dinney.

Following adjournment of the meeting, a very enjoyable social hour was highlighted when the members wrapped and tagged more than 50 Christmas gifts which were for distribution to patients at the hospital here.

Mrs. Dorothy Pryce arrived in Penticton last week from Medicine Hat, Alta., to spend the holidays with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bork.

J. D. Southworth arrived home on Friday after travelling to Revelstoke to attend the funeral of Mrs. R. R. Southworth.

Serving of refreshments concluded the final meeting of 1955 for the auxiliary.



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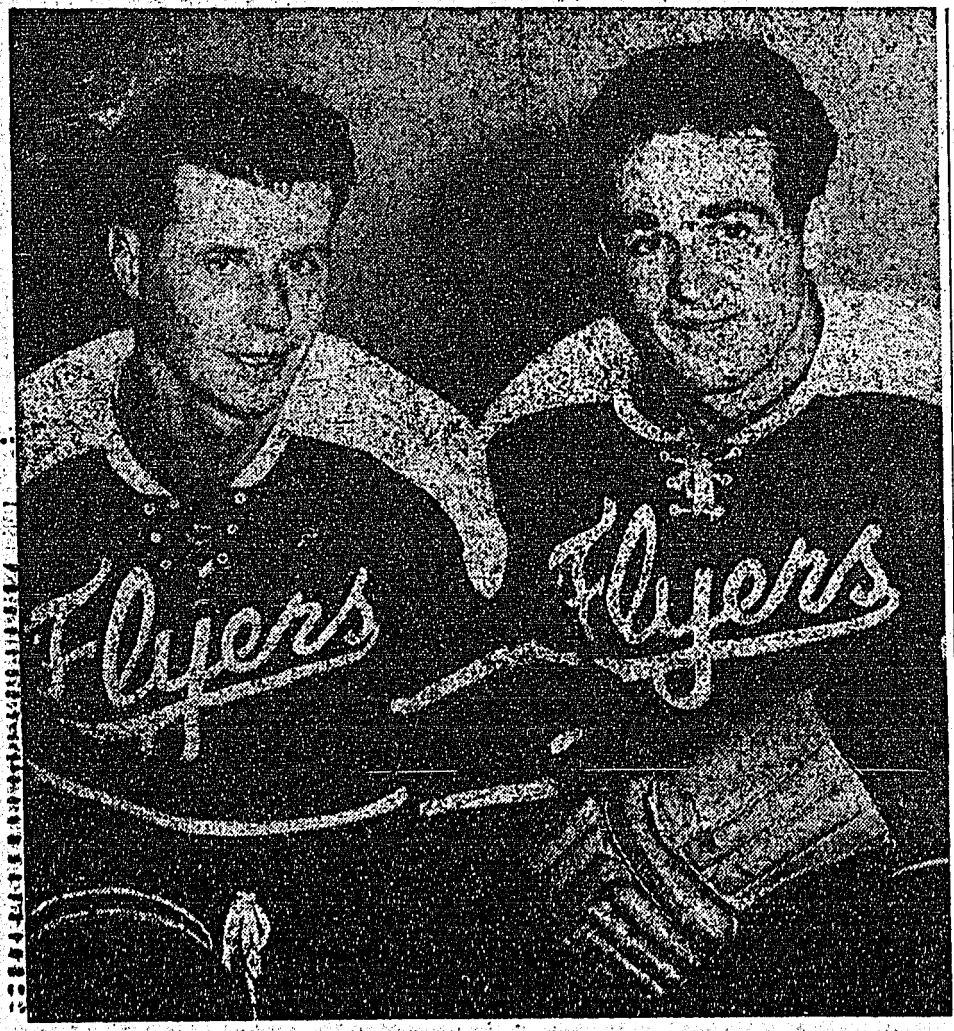
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LOOKING BENIGN but far from it are Flyers' forward Bruno Pasqualotto and defenceman Jack Lancien.

Packers In Thrilling Shutout Victory Over Pentiction Vees

KELOWNA — Before a Boxing Day afternoon crowd of 2,500 Kelowna Packers pulled off a thrilling 7-0 win on the Pentiction Vees, giving Goalie Dave Gatherum his first shutout in the red and white uniform.

Packers took the upper hand from the first and the scoreless first frame was marked by high flying, close, checking hockey from both teams, the world champs being held off balance and Packers outshooting them 15-9.

Coach Moe Young opened the scoring for Packers at the five minute mark in the sandwich frame and the Orchard City crew went into action getting three

more before the end of the frame. Defenceman Jack Kirk earned the first one and Joe Kaiser and Brian Roche the others.

It was rookie Greg Jablonski who got the first in the final stanza when he lifted one from the corner that deflected in off Goalie Ivan McLelland. Bill Swarbrick earned the second counter and Jim Middleton sewed up the score at 10:19. The last 10 minutes were fast and furious with the Warwicks held off balance every time they made a move.

Dick Warwick was pulled out of centre in favor of MacDonald but they failed to light the light.



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Ladies' Curling Rinks Resume Play Tuesday

Regular round-robin play resumes with the ladies' curling rinks on Tuesday, January 3, with a single draw at 1 p.m.

Rinks participating are: Troyer vs. Odell; McLachlin vs. Tyler; Mather vs. McGown; Cumberland vs. Ellis. Draws for the remainder of the week are:

Jan. 5, 1 p.m. — Goodfellow vs. Finney; Marriott vs. Bat-terby; Swan vs. Carse; Barton vs. Carberry. 3 p.m. — Hill vs. Johnson; Steele vs. Carson; Enns vs. Hines; McGown vs. Troyer. Jan. 6, 1 p.m. — Odell vs. Carson; Hines vs. Cumberland; Ellis vs. Enns; Tyler vs. Barton.

Men's Curling

Dec. 29, 7 p.m. — Watts vs. Sobchuck; Watson vs. McKay; Lang vs. Swanson; Powers vs. Bolton. 9 p.m. — Hines vs. Wilcox; Parmley vs. P. Mather; Pauls vs. Wall; Cumberland vs. Hark. Dec. 30, 7 p.m. — Bearcroft vs. Koehn; Challenge game; Gibson vs. Boyd; Gerow vs. Wiley. 9 p.m. — Cranna vs. Brittain; Cady vs. Dirks; Walker vs. LaFrance; Schramm vs. Littlejohn.

Jan. 3, 7 p.m. — McMurray vs. Koehn; Bearcroft vs. Carse; Gerow vs. Swanson; Lang vs. Bolton. 9 p.m. — Hines vs. P. Mather; Carson vs. Brittain; Cranna vs. Dirks; Schramm vs. Wilcox.

Jan. 4, 7 p.m. — Hines vs. Riddell; Parmley vs. Nichol; Cady vs. Dunn; Pauls vs. Hark. 9 p.m. — Dirks vs. Sobchuck; Walls vs. McKay; Lang vs. Wilcox; Powers vs. Mather.

Kencos Defeat Lakettes

Youth vs Experience In Basketball Match

It was a battle of youth versus experience in the Pen-Hi gym on Monday afternoon when a team of former Pentiction High School basketballers took on the present Pen Hi Lakers and beat them 43-41.

In the preliminary contest, Pentiction Kencos beat the Pen Hi Lakettes 32-20. This is the second win in a row for Kencos over the rapidly improving Lakettes.

When it came time to line up for the feature game the Lakers found themselves with only six players while the ex-Lakers had 14. Mr. Boyd, coach of the Lakers, took a look at the 14 and picked out for himself four that appeared to be in condition. They were Gordon May and Charlie Burch, both playing for the UBC Javees in the Vancouver senior league. Lloyd BURGART of Seattle Pacific College and Don Fuddy of UBC.

This left the ex-Lakers with 10 players most of whom had been individual stars in their own era. Nick Drossos led the list. Nick is the only interior player to have won the most valuable award at the provincial tournament Pen-

tion Omega contributed Ron Dow and Dennis Jeffery to the ex-Laker lineup. Other out of towners were Bill Hanlon, Val Eshelman, Ted MacDonald and John Kluck. To complete the lineup were Bill Johnson, D. Eshelman and Sam Drossos.

The Lakers got off to a fast start as they racked up a 10-2 lead early in the first quarter but their older brothers gradually put the pressure on and by half time the score stood 18-12 for the ex-Lakers. Bill Johnson climaxed this drive with a steady set shot four seconds before the half.

The tension began building up in the third quarter when it ended with the score tied 28-28. The lead changed hands several times before the ex-Lakers came out on top of the rough and tumble affair.

Bill Hanlon appeared to be one of the most improved players on the floor as he led the winners' attack with 10 points. Charlie Preen was the big gun for the Lakers as he potted 17 for the losers. Gordy May also looked

sharp for the Lakers as he pushed in 10.

Nick Drossos managed to get his old hook shot away a few times on Monday as he counted for eight points while his brother Sam scored his yearly single basket.

In the preliminary contest it was the Kencos from the start. They led 6-4, 14-10, 22-14 and 32-20 at the quarters. Miriam Dennis led the scoring with 18 with Josephine BURGART getting nine. Gloria Thomson scored seven for the losers.

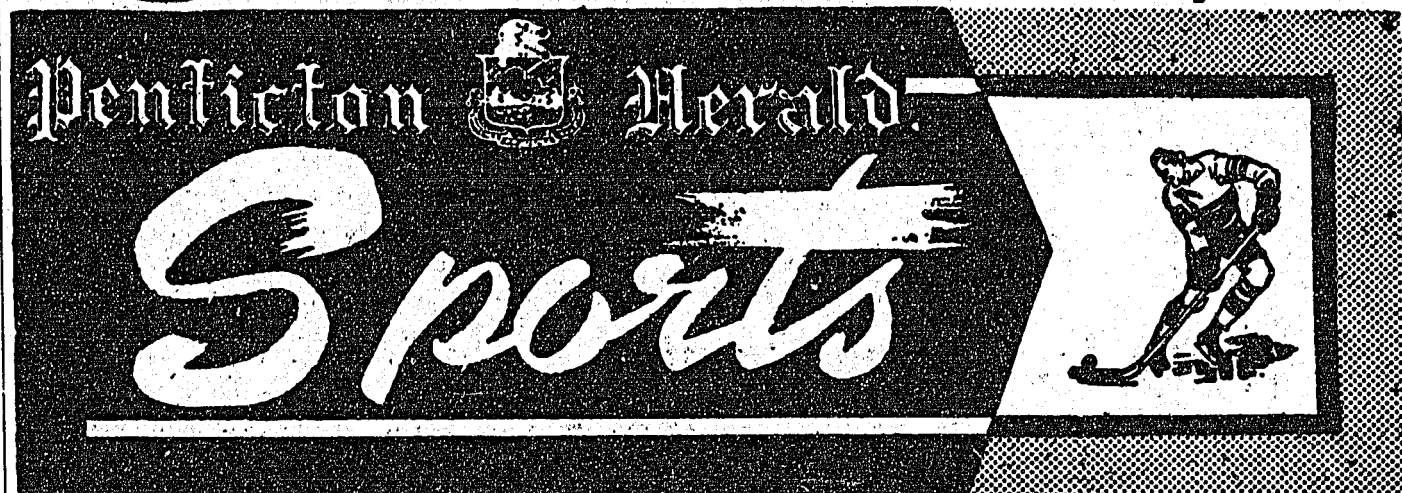
Summary — Lakers — Drossos, G. 4, Burch, Loucheed, Robb, L. May 10, BURGART 4, Puddy, Derry 4, Preen 17, Boulding 1. Total — 41.

Ex-Lakers — Jeffery 2, Hanlon 10, S. Drossos 2, N. Drossos 8, D. Eshelman 5, V. Eshelman 6, MacDonald 4, Dow 2, Johnson 2. Total — 43.

Lakettes — Snider 2, Hutchison 2, Thompson 7, MacDermott 2, Andatson 6, MacAstocker, MacDonald. Total — 20.

Kencos — Hooker 3, Hutchison, BURGART 8, Blukovich 5, Almas, Dennis 16. Total — 32.

Vees Out To Break Home Jinx Against Vernon; Game Tonight



Two Years For Protest?

Kamloops Report Says Young Under Suspension

Rule Book Says Possible Suspension One Year, Not Two

Dr. Mel Butler of Kelowna, past president of the BCAHA and member of the CAHA, told the Herald today that he "knew nothing of the incident in Kamloops last night and therefore couldn't give any official comment."

He did say, however, that in his opinion no player would face a long suspension until the incident in which he was involved had been fully investigated.

Dr. Butler said rule 76 of the Official Rule Book regarding "refusing to start play" must have teeth in it to protect fans who have paid their money to see a game.

The rule says the manager, coach or official of a club responsible for these actions faces an automatic ONE year suspension without the right of appeal, which is at variance with the story from Kamloops which states that coach Young was suspended for two years.

Rule 76 regarding refusing to start to play says:

If a team is withdrawn from the ice, fails to go on the ice and start play or being on the ice fails to start play, within two minutes when ordered to do so by the referee in charge, the game or series shall be forfeited to the opposing team.

The manager, coach or official of the club which is responsible for any of these actions shall be automatically suspended for one year from the date of the infraction, without the right of appeal.

Vernon Makes It Four Straight With Boxing Day Win Over Elks

VERNON — The Vernon Canadians posted their fourth win in a row since their return from the Kootenays when they defeated the Kamloops Elks 3-2 in a Boxing Day game Monday before a capacity house of 2,500 home town fans.

Young Don Moog in the Elks' net was the outstanding player on the ice, when he continually broke up plays that were right in on top of him, robbing the Canadians of sure goals. Every man on the Canadians' team played heads up hockey, with ace centreman Odie Lowe picking up two goals for the winners and Sherman Blair, tallied the other.

For Kamloops, Connors and Evans picked up a goal each, Connors' goal coming off a bad clearance by the Canadians' defense. The game was very clean throughout with only six minor penalties being handed out, all against the Canadians. Referees Boone Sammartino and Bill Nielsen had a very easy afternoon's work.

The game was the fastest of the season and one which had the home town crowd on its feet time after time. The Canadians

won the game on their superior centre ice play and constant fore-checking, with Goalie Hal Gordon playing a sure game in the winners' nets.

SUMMARY

First period — Vernon, no score, Kamloops no score. Penalties — Hart, Agar, Lavell.

Second period — 1. Vernon, Blair (Schmidt) 3:27; 2. Vernon, Lowe (Hart, King) 5:25. Penalties — Hart, Kassian, Lavell.

Third period — Connors (unassisted) 15:45; 4. Kamloops, Evans (Millard, Hryciuk) 14:37; 5. Vernon, Lowe (unassisted) 18:58. Penalties — King.

LONGEST HOCKEY GAME

The longest NHL hockey play-off game ever recorded occurred on March 24 and 25, 1936. It lasted 176 minutes, 30 seconds.

Detroit Red Wings defeated Montreal Maroons 1-0 in Montreal with the winning goal being scored after 116 minutes and 30 seconds of overtime play.

Mud Brunette scored on a pass from Hec Kilrea at 16:30 of the sixth overtime period. It was 2:25 a.m. when the game ended.

Coach Grant Warwick wasn't kidding when he made this pre-game statement today, "tonight's our night against Vernon."

And there's grit in Vees' teeth, determined grit to pull this one out of the fire and into the win column against the confident Canucks.

Grant's remarks, of course, referred to Vees' failure this year to beat Canadians on our ice.

Not a good showing when based purely on wins and losses but always productive of first class, speedy, competitive hockey whenever these two teams meet.

In three encounters on Vees' ice this season it's been close every time; 7-6, 6-5, 6-4.

Therefore, the law of averages should tip the scales tonight in favor of the home team.

Both clubs have been idle since Boxing Day.

Game time is the usual 8 p.m. last one at the Memorial Arena before the advent of the New Year.

Pipes Ready For Ice Arena At Summerland

SUMMERLAND — George Stoll, indefatigable worker for the Summerland Arena, reports that things are just about ready for the pipes which are part of the ice-making equipment. They are expected here next week.

Although the council cannot act officially until the bylaw recently passed has been registered 30 days at the county registry office at Vernon; which is January 15, John Inglis Co., contracting firm, has already shipped in some of the necessary materials.

BOXING DAY GAME SUMMARY

Summary — First period, no score. Penalties — Mascotto and Schai.

Second period — Kelowna, Young (Jablonski, Jones) 5:46; Kelowna, Kirk (Roche) 7:31; Kelowna, Kaiser (Roche, Schai) 7:44; Kelowna, Roche (Kaiser, Middleton) 17:41. Penalties — Schai, Mascotto, Schai.

Third period — Kelowna, Jablonski (unassisted) 3:31; Kelowna, Swarbrick (Jones) 7:53; Kelowna, Middleton (Roche, Kaiser) 10:19. Penalties — Schai, Taggart, Jones, B. Warwick.

SKATING at the ARENA

Fri., Dec. 30th

1.30 to 3.30 Children's Skating

8.00 to 10.00 General Skating

Sat., Dec. 31st

1.30 to 3.30 Children's Skating

Sun., Jan 1st

Arena Closed All Day

Mon., Jan. 2nd

1.30 to 3.30 Children's Skating

8.00 to 10.00 General Skating

Tues., Jan. 3rd

1.30 to 3.30 Children's Skating

Detailed Arena Schedules for January are

now available at the Arena or the

Pentiction Herald Office.

Vees-Flyers Tangle Tuesday

Next home game for the Vees after tonight's tilt with Vernon Canadians will be Tuesday when an inter-league fixture is scheduled at Memorial Arena against Spokane Flyers.

It will be the only regular league game the high-flying Spokane team plays here this season and the first of their Okanagan tour.

On successive nights, the Flyers will be at Kelowna, Kamloops and Vernon.

Flyers were seen here early in the fall. Fans will remember an exhibition game on October 13 when Vees and Flyers played to a 4-4 tie.

Vees are the only OSAHL team who have not yet tested the mettle of teams in the WHL.

But in an exhibition game at Spokane on December 18, they dropped a close one to the Flyers 6-5.

Kelowna Packers and Vernon Canadians beat Flyers in their swing through the WHL circuit. Elks were defeated.

Which all adds up to a close battle between Vees and Flyers. Game time is 8 p.m.

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The festive season has been the occasion for family visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Couzens, Kilwinning street. Mrs. Couzens' brother, Norman Kindred, and Mrs. Kindred, have returned to their home at Vancouver after spending the Christmas weekend here, while Thomas Kindred arrived on Tuesday from Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, for an extended visit in Penticton, with his son-in-law and daughter, Wayne Couzens, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Couzens, is currently holidaying with relatives in Nelson.

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SUMMERLAND — George Rowson of Flin Flon, a Christmas visitor at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Croft, is a real curling enthusiast. He is now 75 and started to curl in Winnipeg in 1900.

In 1903 he played in the annual bonspiel and has played in 52 annual 'spells' consecutively winning many awards in the game.

The sleeves of the sweater he wore at the Curling Rink in Summerland were adorned with rows of shields and other indications of games in which he has participated.

He left for Manitoba the other day. Had to get back for this year's bonspiel!

Hat Tricks For Coach Grant, McIntyre As Elks Swamped 9-3

Grant Warwick and Jack McIntyre picked up hat tricks here Friday night as Penticton Vees outclassed Kamloops Elks and took over sole possession of second place by a 9-3 score.

It was a fast game as referees Sammartino and Gilmour handed out 11 penalties, all of them minor.

Grant Warwick opened the scoring at 1:25 of the first with assists going to brothers on the line, Bill and Dick Slater got the tying one at 5:49, with assists to Hryciuk and Turner.

With Vees' defenceman, Jack Taggart, off at 8:45 for tripping Hryciuk's slapshot beat McLeland at 10:32.

At 17:26 while the Vees were a man short, McIntyre slipped through the Kamloops' defence to beat Moog unassisted at 19:04.

Malo, Kilburn, Coach Warwick with two, and McIntyre all got into the scoring department in the second as Vees blanked Elks. In the third period, Millard notched one for Kamloops while Vees retaliated with two, one by

Brother Of City Fire Chief Dies At Williams Lake

A former Penticton resident whose many kindnesses while employed as an orderly at the hospital here will long be remembered by patients, passed away on Tuesday at Williams Lake.

Word was received here that Norman Foreman died, age 63 years.

He was a veteran of the first world war.

The late Mr. Foreman is survived by his wife, one daughter Jessie Lee of Williams Lake, three sons, Billie and Allan at Williams Lake, Harold of Penticton, his father in Penticton, three sisters, Bertha of Vancouver, Mabel and Edith of Penticton, four brothers, Ed and Bryan of Osoyoos, Earl and Merv of Penticton.

Funeral services will be held at Williams Lake.

W.I. Presents Gifts, Holds Holiday Party At December Meeting

The Penticton Women's Institute voted a number of donations to worthy causes at the December meeting held in the Red Cross Centre: \$25 each to the Red Cross and Save the Children Fund, and the tea money to the March of Dimes.

The W.I. also sent a box to the Unitarian Service Committee and a hamper was packed for a friend of the Institute.

Following adjournment of the meeting a social hour was highlighted with a Christmas program. A skit, "The Spirit of Christmas," was presented by Mrs. E. S. Bearcroft, Mrs. J. Tribe and Mrs. Graham Kincaid.

Peter Marshall's "Keeping Christmas" was read by Mrs. John Bowen-Colthurst after which president Mrs. Guy Brook distributed gifts from a beautifully decorated tree.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. W. Johnson to conclude the final meeting of 1955.

Mental Health A Wide Problem

"More hospital beds in Canada are occupied by those who are mentally ill than by those who are physically ill."

This statement was made by James D. Ward, executive director for B.C. of the Canadian Mental Health Association, at a public meeting held recently at St. Andrews United Church in West Summerland. The well-attended meeting was sponsored by the Summerland AOTS.

A film on mental health was shown by Walter Goodland of Kelowna and was commented on by James D. Patterson, regional supervisor of the National Film Board at Vancouver and a worker in the Canadian Mental Health Association. The film depicted some of the causes of mental illness and some methods of cure.

A panel of three men then spoke to the meeting. It consisted of Mr. Ward, Mr. Patterson and Mr. J. Billycaid of Kelowna.

Mr. Ward said that for every mentally ill patient in a hospital bed, there are at least two more who do not require hospitalization. The problem is therefore both a community and a national one. Everyone needs to be educated in this problem. We are now being deluged with information on mental illness, but much of it is misleading. The proper place to find out whether or not the information is correct is from a doctor, health nurse, or social service worker.

One common "misconception is that once a person is mentally ill, he will always be mentally ill. Mr. Ward pointed out that at least 70 percent of those entering mental hospitals are cured and return to normal life again.

The Canadian Mental Health Association, Mr. Ward explained, was formed in 1918 in Toronto. The B.C. branch was formed in 1953. It is not sponsored by the B.C. College of Physicians and Surgeons, but many doctors assist in the work and act as officers or council members. Its purpose is partly educational, partly to provide help in various ways. At Crease Clinic there are 100 volunteers assisting in visiting, giving occupational courses, and in various other ways. A full time service exists in marriage counselling.

Mr. Patterson dealt with home problems and how they can lead to mental illness. Like Mr. Ward, he stressed that parents should get their information from proper sources. Families are not self-contained units as much as they used to be, and stresses and strains really develop under the pace of today's living. He stressed the importance of affection, understanding, recognition of talents, self-expression and encouragement in handling children in the home, and warned against the use of fear, ridicule or sarcasm in handling them. The home is the core of our existence, and sets the stage for the future lives of our children.

Mr. Billycaid dealt with the school environment. Competitive and other influences at school make it very hard for some children, especially those who are more sensitive. Teachers face many difficulties and are doing a fine job handling them. He felt, however, that there should be a specially trained man in each area to assist teachers with mental health problems of pupils. He also felt that parents and teachers should get together frequently to discuss such problems. It was pointed out that a child-guidance clinic comes to the Okanagan about twice a year. It contains an excellent staff consisting of a psychiatrist, psychologists and nurses. Contact is made through the local social service worker or public health nurse.

Many questions were asked of the panel members. It was explained that short-stay patients (less than four months) are treated at the Crease Clinic, long-stay patients at the provincial Mental Hospital, charged at the Crease Clinic are only \$1.50 per day, the main cost being handled by the B.C. government. Modern methods of treatment are used, and a fine job is being done.

The speakers were thanked on behalf of the AOTS and on behalf of those present at the meeting, by Dr. Wilcox, chairman of the meeting.

W. Hack

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Myers, West Summerland, one granddaughter. A daughter, Julie, a student at UBC at the time of her death, was killed in a motor accident in Penticton some years ago.

Funeral services were held this afternoon from St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Reverend A. A. T. Northrup officiating, committal in the family plot, Anglican Cemetery, West Summerland.

Summerland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Vernon Beats Kelowna 4-2

VERNON — The Vernon Canadians continued their winning ways-Friday night in Vernon by defeating the Kelowna Packers 4-2. Santa Claus did not disappoint more than 1,300 fans plus many youngsters who were the guests of the Vernon Hockey Club to Young Canada night.

Sherman Blair was again high scorer for the Canadians, picking up two goals for a total of seven in the last three games. Agar and Lowe picked up the other two Vernon goals, Roche and Kaiser notched counters for the Packers.

Hanson of Kelowna had to leave the game in the first period, after he had received a cut over his eye. Referees Bill Neilson and Arnold Smith had a heavy night's work, handing out 18 penalties, with Kirk and McLeod of the Canadians staging a real donnybrook midway through the third period, which had the players all mixing it, plus a number of fans. Both Kirk and McLeod picked up minor penalties plus a match misconduct for their efforts.

Coach George Agar picked up the first goal of the night in the first period on a breakaway, and four minutes later Blair made it 2-0 on a perfect passout from Agar. In the second stanza nine penalties were handed out, the Packers picking up five and the Canadians four. In the second period Vernon went ahead 3-0 on Blair's second goal, and at the start of the third period, Lowe made it 4-0. Kaiser came right back scoring the Packers' first tally.

Then at the ten minute mark McLeod and Kirk started their bout on the ice and continued it right into the sin-bin.

The players, fans and police got into the act, and it was another ten minutes before the refs had the mess straightened out. After the game got underway again Roche scored the Kelowna second marker and that was that.

First period — 1, Vernon, Agar (unassisted) 4:14; 2, Vernon Blair (Agar, Trentini) 8:20. Penalties — Agar, Kirk, Lavall.

Second period — 3, Vernon, Blair (McLeod) 17:34. Penalties — Hart, Hart, Shai, Trentini, Kirk, Pyett, Young, Willy.

Third period — 4, Vernon, Schmidt (Lowe) 1:07; Kelowna, Kaiser (Roche, Middleton) 1:18; 6, Kelowna, Roche (Young and Middleton) 19:15. Penalties — Schai, Kirk 2 mins. plus 1 game, McLeod 2 mins. plus 1 game, Schai, Hart, Schai.

Former Nelson Mtn Dies In Penticton

Former resident of Nelson who came to Penticton two years ago, Dominic Cesaretti passed away in Penticton Hospital yesterday.

Funeral services will be held from Roselawn Funeral Chapel tomorrow at 2 p.m. Reverend Ernest Rands officiating with interment at Lakeview Cemetery.

Roselawn Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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It was such a treat to visit with our dancing friends at Summerland last Tuesday evening when they sponsored a square and round dance at the IOOF Hall. After all the Christmas festivities with all the good food and reduced activity the healthful refreshing activity of dancing helped to round out the joyous festive season.

We are now all looking forward to the New Year's Eve party at Kaledon. This will take place Saturday night, December 31, and all square dancers are invited to join us in an evening of fun and frolic. There will be novelty and prize dances, and of course after the singing of Auld Lang Syne there will be lots to eat. Jim Hendry assures us that food will be plentiful so that is good enough for me.

Night Classes will commence right after school starts in January. The schedule has now been arranged, and it works out as follows:—

Monday night classes commence on January 9, and will take place every Monday until March 26. Saturday nights take place on the following dates:— January 7 and 21, February 4 and 18, March 3, 17 and 31.

In the next column information as to fees payable will be available. Plan now to carry on with your dancing instructions and persuade your friends to join with you in this community activity where you can make friends and have fun.

Now for more square dance rules.

7. Get 'sets up early. When your caller calls "Sets in Order," it means recess time is over, so don't hold up the show, and get your sets formed as quickly as possible. Remember, the recognized signal on the dance floor, if you are three couples needing one more. Let one of your

couples raise one hand (not everyone in the set — just one.)

8. Don't get discouraged. Whether you feel that you are slower than the rest, at learning the fundamentals of square dancing, or whether everybody else in the set is slower than you, don't get aggravated or bothered. This is a new experience for everybody, and it takes a little bit of time and patience to get accustomed to the new sounds and different maneuvers. It doesn't pay to keep in the same set all the time.

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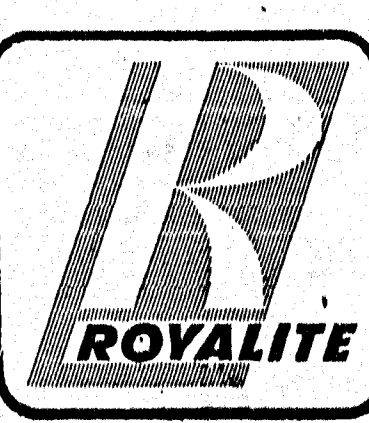
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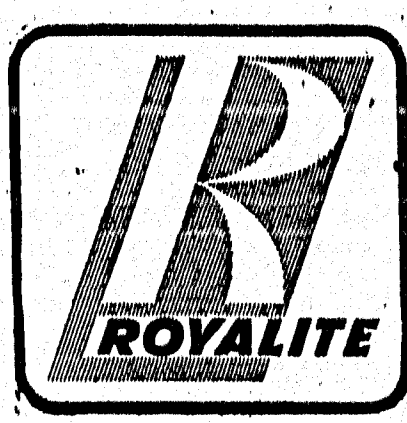


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BIRTHS

PRESTON — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Preston, West Bench, in the Penticton Hospital on December 17th a son, Frederick Craig, weight seven pounds, eight ounces.

DEATHS

HIAC K — Passed away in West Sumnerland at his residence in Victoria Gardens on December 26th, William George Hack, aged 52 years. Survived by his wife, Loretta; one daughter, Norma, Kettle River; one brother, Aston Harry, Victoria; two sisters, Mrs. Basil Stuart, Kimberley, and Mrs. Mary Myers, West Sumnerland. Funeral services will be held from St. Stephen's Anglican Church Thursday, December 29th at 2:30 p.m. Reverend A. A. T. Northrup officiating. Committal in family plot, Anglican Cemetery, West Sumnerland. Sumnerland Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. R. J. Pollock and J. V. Carberry directors.

ATKINSON — Passed away in the Penticton Hospital, December 25th, Edward Octavious Atkinson, aged 87 years. Survived by three sons, Reginald and Arnold of Penticton, and Ted of Sumnerland; one brother, Charles D. T. Atkinson, of Decatur, Georgia. Funeral services will be held in St. Saviour's Anglican Church Thursday, December 29th at 2 p.m. Canon A. R. Eagles officiating. Committal in family plot, Lakeview Cemetery. Penticton Funeral Chapel in charge of arrangements. R. J. Pollock and J. V. Carberry directors.

SVEAN — Passed away at his residence, 473 Nelson Ave., December 24th, Herman Edward Svean, aged 54 years. Survived by his wife, Freda; one daughter, Uleta, RCAF Edmonton; two sons, Harlem of Port Nelson and Keith of Penticton; one brother, Carl of Westbank; two sisters, Mrs. E. Ort, Pateros, Washington; Marie Getts of Kelowna; his father, Ole of Kelowna. Remains to be forwarded by Penticton Funeral Chapel to Day's Funeral Chapel where services will take place Friday, December 30th at 2 p.m. R. J. Pollock and J. V. Carberry directors.

SHARMAN — Passed away in Vancouver December 25th, Florence Mabel, Sharmar, formerly of West Sumnerland. Survived by one daughter, Mrs. H. Freeman and three grandchildren. Funeral services will be held in St. Stephen's Anglican Church, West Sumnerland, Friday, December 30th at 2 p.m. Committal Anglican Cemetery, West Sumnerland. Sumnerland Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. R. J. Pollock and J. V. Carberry directors.

CESARETTI — Passed away suddenly in the Penticton Hospital, December 28th, Dominic Cesaretti, formerly of 804 Government St. Surviving is his wife, Alberta. Funeral services will be held in the Roselawn Funeral Home, Friday, December 30th at 2 p.m. Reverend E. Rands officiating. Interment in Lakeview Cemetery. Vancouver papers please copy.

PAWLITZ — Passed away in the Penticton Hospital December 28th, Frank Pawlitz, formerly of 417 Young Street, aged 69 years. Survived by his loving wife, Anna; two sons and one daughter, Albert of Chilliwack, Harold of Abbey, Sask., Miss Vera of Winnipeg, Man.; two grandchildren and one son, Flying Officer, Elwyn, predeceased in 1944. Funeral services will be held in the Penticton Funeral Chapel Saturday, December 31st at 2 p.m. Reverend Ernest Rands officiating. Committal Lakeview Cemetery. R. J. Pollock and J. V. Carberry, directors.

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WEDDINGS

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DATED at the Land Registry Office, Kamloops, British Columbia, this 17th day of November, 1955.

J. V. DICASTRI, Registrar. Kamloops Land Registration District. M133-145

LEGALS LAND REGISTRY ACT (Section 161) IN THE MATTER OF Lot 54, District Lot 250, Similkameen Division Yale District, Plan 342.

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Who will be the first new citizen of our community in 1956 and win all the prizes offered below? After the announcement naming the parents of the first baby to be born in the Penticton Hospital in 1956 has been officially made, they are invited to visit the stores listed here and receive the special congratulatory gifts which will have been set aside for them. They will be given a letter from the Hospital which will identify them as the lucky family.

The Hudson's Bay

will be pleased to present to the mother of the first 1956 Baby a beautiful 1881 Rogers Silverplate Baby Mug, Fork and Spoon Set and to the Father... a Box of 50 Cigars.



To Baby From Deans

A hand crocheted baby set in blue or pink... Bonnet - Jacket - Booties from



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64 Nanaimo Ave. E., Penticton Phone 2718

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Yes, to the lucky father of our first baby we'll be happy to give a choice of any one of our fine ties!



Bryant & Hill

320 Main Phone 3040

For That First Baby

A beautiful baby portrait in full colour, before July, 1956.



Cameo Studio

Gift Certificate

A \$5.00 Gift Certificate will be our prize to the Mother of the first baby born in Penticton in 1956.



Gibsons Style Shop

Turk's Pharmacy

Welcomes Penticton's First Little Citizen of 1956 and congratulates the proud parents. If the Mamma will call on us in the near future we shall be pleased to present her with a lovely gift for herself as well as the baby.



Turk's Pharmacy

For The Lucky 1956 Baby

A beautiful baby's own Gift Set containing Soap, Oil and Powder.



Knights Pharmacy Ltd.

402 Main St. Phone 4024

Free Dry Cleaning For Mom and Dad

We will dry clean a suit for Dad and a dress for Mom.

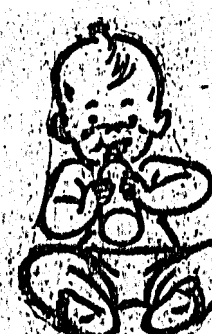


Emerald Cleaners

740 Main St. Phone 4134

Milk For The Baby - Ice Cream For The Lucky Parents!

When baby is one month old, we'll deliver a quart of homogenized milk each day for a month. For mom and dad, three bricks of ice cream!



Royal Dairy

37 Front St., Penticton Phone 2816

For Dad, A Suit Dry-Cleaned Free

So you slept in your suit all night, Pop! Don't worry, bring it in, and as our gift we dry-clean it free.



Star Cleaners

475 Main St., Penticton Phone 4341

For Baby's Daddy - One Tire Retreaded Free!

If Daddy brings his car in within 30 days we'll be happy to give him a free tire retread of the finest Firestone materials.



PENTICTON RE-TREADING & VULCANIZING LIMITED

52 Front St., Penticton Phone 5630

Free Dry Cleaning

Here is a prize for Pa and Ma. We will be pleased to dry clean, free of charge, a dress for the Mamma and a suit for the Papa.



The Launderland Co. Ltd.

Half A Ton of Coal - Gratis

That lovely little first baby of '56 must not be cold so we offer a half ton of coal to the parents.



Penticton Dray & Express

42 Forbes St. Phone 2020

A Free Gift For EVERY BABY in '56

... yes, there is a free gift waiting at Neve-Newton's Pharmacy for the first baby and for EVERY baby born in the Penticton Hospital during 1956!



Neve-Newton Pharmacy

Phone 4007 Penticton

Handy Bottle Warmer

For the winner's mother we have a gift that makes heating the baby's bottle an easy task - a very attractive electric bottle warmer.



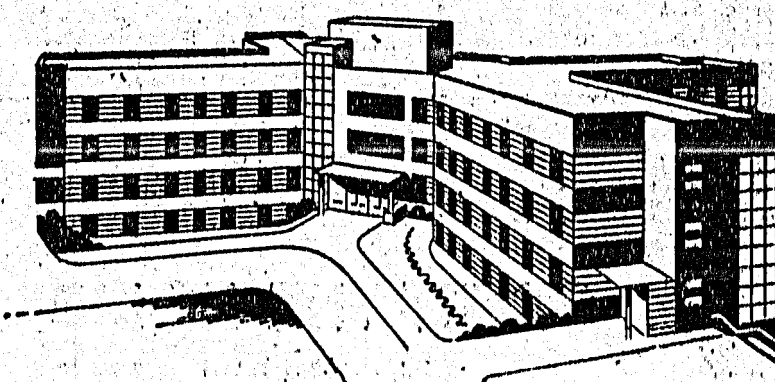
Betts Electric Ltd.

Free Baby Blanket

This will keep your new baby warm, Mom! We would like to present you with a Bunny Esmond Baby Blanket.



Robinson Stores
Chas. Wylie, Prop.



Retired Farmer Dies In Hospital

A retired farmer who came here from Abbey, Saskatchewan, about two years ago, Frank Pawlitz passed away in Penticton Hospital yesterday, age 69 years.

Born in Czechoslovakia, he had resided in Canada for the past 49 years.

He was a member of the IOOF and was on the executive of the Penticton Ratepayers' Association.

Surviving are his wife, two sons, Albert of Chilliwack, Harold of Abbey, a daughter Vera

The contagious diseases of childhood may have after effects that will influence the health in adulthood. Impairment such as deafness, faulty sight, diseased kidneys and other weakness may follow such diseases as whooping cough, diphtheria or smallpox, each of which could be prevented by simple immunization in infancy.

of Winnipeg.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday from Penticton Funeral Chapel at 2 p.m. Reverend Ernest Rands officiating with committal at Lakeview Cemetery.

Penticton Funeral Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Position Vacant

A growing Kelowna business requires an accountant with the ability to assume office management responsibilities. A good opportunity for an experienced accountant who feels he is in a rut and would like a position with more potential responsibility. Salary and prospects for advancement good. Apply in own handwriting stating experience, etc., to Rutherford, Bazett Co., Room 9, 284 Bernard Ave., Kelowna. 144-145



Happy 1956

Here's hoping that in 1956, "your ship comes in", . . . richly laden with dreams comes true, wishes fulfilled and aims achieved. Included in its cargo may you find a generous measure of good health, good cheer and happiness to complete the picture of a memorable year. To all our friends and neighbours goes this deeply felt wish for 1956.

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HERE IT IS — THEY'VE WON! The biggest moment of all, when the game with the Russians was over and the Vees had won the world championship for Canada. The victorious Vees crowded around Ivan McLelland as they congratulated him on his shut-out.

E. O. Atkinson

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our's Choir for over 40 years and People's Warden during much of that time.

He was chairman of the Penticton School Board in 1912-13 during the building of the Ellis School and was an original trustee of Branch 40, Canadian Legion.

Mr. Atkinson was the first Mason initiated in Orion Lodge, A.F. and AM, Penticton, July 1, 1908, and was a life member of the lodge.

He was married in old St. Paul's Church, Vancouver, October 3, 1891, and he and his first wife celebrated their diamond wedding in 1951. Mrs. Atkinson predeceased him in April, 1953.

He is survived by three sons, Reginald and Arnold of Penticton, and Ted of the Experimental Station, Summerland, a brother Charles of Decatur, Georgia, four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held today from St. Saviour's Anglican Church, Canon A. R. Eagles officiating with committal in the family plot, Lakeview Cemetery.

Palbearers were C. W. Stewart, J. Rye, A. Noyes, A. M. B. Stocks, R. Dennis and A. L. Smith.

Penticton Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Peachland

PEACHLAND — Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Houghtaling motored to Vancouver recently for the 79th birthday celebration of Mr. Houghtaling's mother and to attend the wedding of his sister, Flora to Cy Moss, who are making their home in Port Alberni.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Gerrie are home for the holiday from Valermount, B.C., where Mr. Gerrie is on the teaching staff. Miss Shirley-Mae Gerrie is also home from teaching duties in New Westminster.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lloyd-Jones for a few days are Mrs. Lloyd-Jones sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. R. Burton and daughter Joan of Vancouver. Other guests on Christmas day included Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clark, son Bill and daughter Sally of Penticton and Claude Newby and Chas. Kirkby of Kelowna.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Knudson and son Billy spent Christmas with Mrs. Knudson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Lueter and son Brock motored to Williams Lake on Friday for the long week-end.

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NORTH VAN, B.C.

Fined \$75, Costs, On Impaired Charge

A young Summerland man was fined \$75 and \$4.50 costs in police court this morning on an impaired driving charge.

He is Lorne Carston who rolled his car over near S.S. Sca-mous last night.

Blodgett Memorial Hospital's new waiting room for expectant fathers has been named "Heir-port."

New on the market: a non-rubbing wallpaper cleaner which is supposed to remove grease or oil stains and any finger marks with a grease or oil base. The stain remover is applied directly to wallpaper from the metal tube and then is spread with knife or spatula to form a layer over the stained area. Dry for 45 minutes and wipe gently with a soft, clean cloth.

A FAMILY PRAYER

Almighty God, bestow upon us, we beseech Thee, such love and charity as were His to whom it was more blessed to give than to receive, and who came not to be ministered unto, but to minister.

May the same mind be in us which was also in Christ Jesus, while we keep the festival of His divine humility, consecrating ourselves to the service of all who are in need; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

When making gravy, use the water in which vegetables have been boiled. This will give richness of flavor and will add minerals that have been drawn from the vegetables during cooking.

25 YEARS A CUSTOMER



"Yes, and a mighty pleased and satisfied customer during those 25 years, too," states Penticton orchardist John Coe. The anniversary coincides with his purchase of a 1956 Chrysler and here he is pictured as Fred Kay (left) presents him with the keys to this fine new automobile. "I bought my first Plymouth from Wilson Hunt in 1932 and have since been a regular customer of this excellent firm. It is a real pleasure for me to see that Fred is carrying on in the same fine tradition." Hunt Motors Ltd., oldest established Chrysler, Plymouth, Fargo dealer in the Interior take special pride in their long list of customers of many years standing and endeavor always to provide the very best for old and new customers alike.

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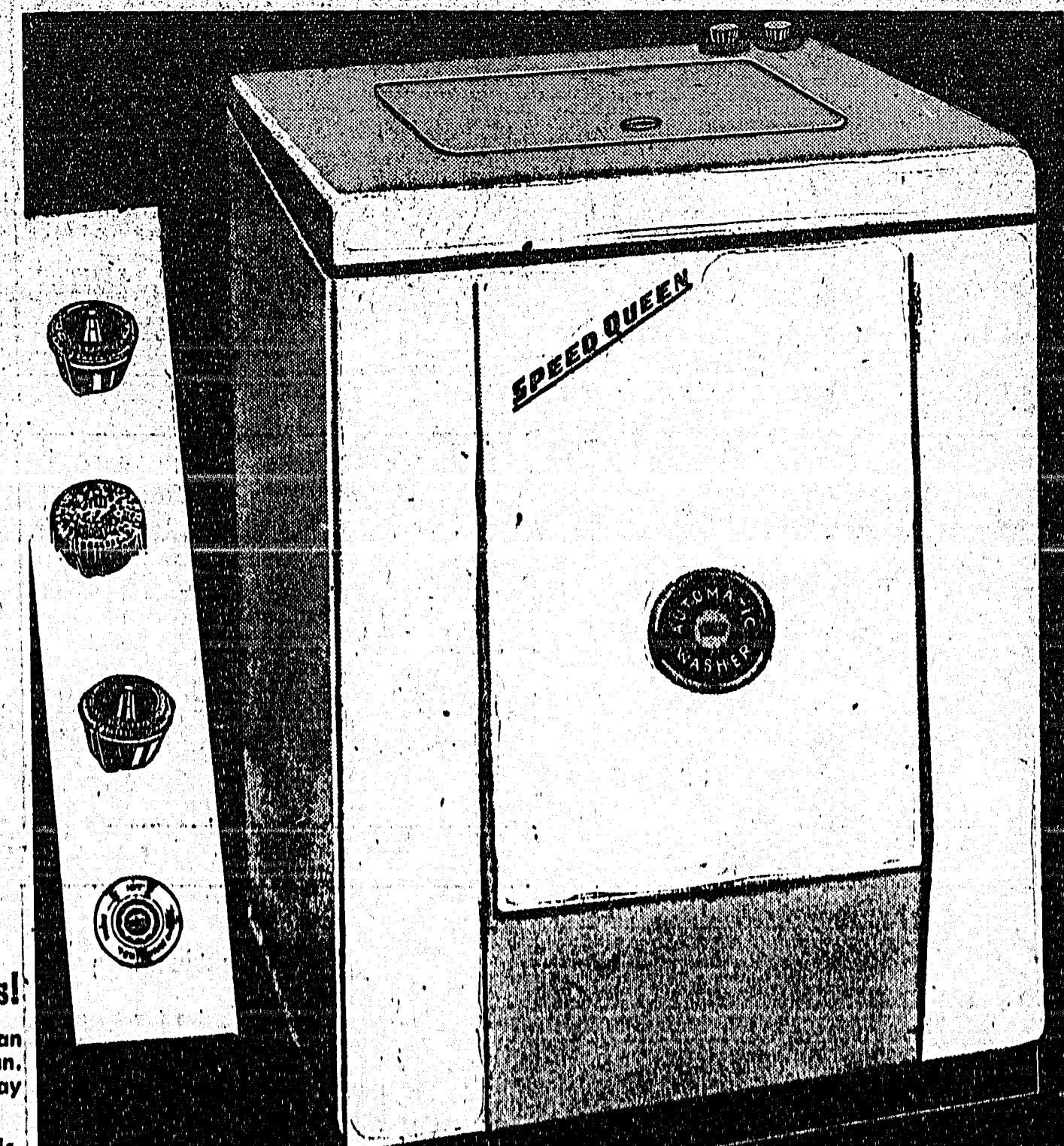
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MONDAY, Jan. 2nd, All stores closed.
TUESDAY, Jan. 3rd, Most stores closed.
WEDNESDAY, Jan. 4th, Open till 5.30 p.m.

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by Vince Duggan

CHRISTMAS POSTSCRIPTS

Who says the mall doesn't get through? When Mike Robb was overseas in the last war he came to know a Mr. and Mrs. W. Marshall of Nottingham, England. So the other day Mr. and Mrs. Robb got a Christmas card from the Marshalls. So there's nothing unusual in that? Okay. The card was addressed "Mr. and Mrs. Mick Robb, 1238 Kilwinning Street, Canada." As if that wasn't a tough enough assignment for the postle sleuths, Mike is just a nickname, he's known officially as David Wilfred. Add to this the fact that the Robbs left Kilwinning Street three years ago, since having lived on Tennis Street, Skaha Lake Road and now Broad Street. And it took the card only three weeks to track down Mike, pardon, we mean David Robb.

BIKES FOR KIDS

Another little Christmas story that sort of restores your faith is this one we pass on with a tip of the hat to an anonymous woman, and assists to Dave Roegle who first heard about it and Pete Adams at the Legion. The woman had two girls' bicycles she wanted to give away to a couple of tots who needed, and could well use 'em. The Legion did a bit of repair work, and two girls who live quite a ways out of town, whose folks don't have much loose change kicking around, were bike-happy Sunday morning.

RUGGED LIVING

The oldtimers knew something about hardship, believe me. Harold Clark of Abbott Street is the proud possessor of some well preserved letters written by his father, who emigrated to the U.S. later to Canada and wrote home to his mother in England.

The man, John Clark, eventually homesteaded in the Minnedosa district of Manitoba and a letter written on June 22, 1879, from Tanner's Crossing, North West Territories, reads as follows:

We stayed in Winnipeg a day and a half buying our stock in trade. We bought a couple of black oxen for \$120, a couple of Red River carts which are made without any iron, a cook stove costing with furniture \$26, a plough and various other things. It was late Tuesday afternoon when we left the city of Winnipeg on our never to be forgotten journey to the west. We bought a tent in Winnipeg; cost \$5 secondhand. It was a pretty good tent, we are going to live in it

all summer. We had a terrible time on the roads, we were three weeks going 140 miles. The mud was up to our knees, we frequently had to hitch two oxen to one cart to get through the sloughs. One day we went for six miles in and out of water up to our middles nearly. It snowed one day and we had rain, hail, thunder, lightning and I don't know what else. It was terrible.

It was a good thing we didn't get our oxen drowned like some of the immigrants did theirs. We had to cross White Mud River in a canoe with our things. The official description of our claims would be the east half of section 2, township 15, range 16 west.

I like this country very well indeed but the mosquitoes are a great drawback. They are terrible sometimes, I have had them make me so that I have not known what I have been about. We have to wear veils and make a big smoke every night. It is the only way we can live.

It does not cost a great deal to live in this country as far as food is concerned, flour is cheap at \$2 a 100 pounds.

If we had some hogs and a cow we could live like lords. Our money has run pretty low. There is only \$20 in the exchequer now that won't last very long.

COLD (NOT HOT) AIR

That day last week when thunder roared and lightning flashed, we bumped into an Indian standing as solid as a tree, looking at the sky with stoic calm. "What does the chief say about our weather?" we asked. "He does not make predictions," was the answer, "cold, cold air from the north pushes other cold air south. Warm air from south pushes cold air north. Cold air all the time." With that, he shoved hands into a mackinaw pocket, smiled, walked away shrugging, "oh well, guess I'll go have beer." Which, we figure, is a pretty good idea when you can't do anything about it.

Funeral Friday In Kelowna For Herman Svean

Herman Svean passed away at his residence at 473 Nelson avenue on Christmas Eve, age 54 years.

He is survived by his wife, a daughter Uleta with the RCAF in Edmonton, two sons, Harlem of Port Nelson, Keith of Penticton, a brother Carl of Westbank, two sisters, Mrs. E. Ortt of Pateros, Washington, Marie Gots of Kelowna, his father of Kelowna.

Remains will be forwarded to Day's Funeral Chapel in Kelowna where funeral services will take place tomorrow at 2 p.m. Penticton Funeral Chapel is in charge of arrangements.



According to juvenile authorities a lot of today's kids should be spanking their parents.



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Bethlehem shine anew
In our hearts, lighting
the way to Peace
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FEW SPORTING EVENTS have been as well publicized as was the final game of the 1955 World Hockey Championship playoffs, in which the Penticton Vees scored a decisive 5-0 victory over Soviet Russia's hockey finest to restore the world hockey crown to Canada. Above are pictured just a few of the cameramen who captured the high spots of the game on film for showing to the people of many nations.

Second Board Ordered In Hospital Wage Dispute Here

Labor Minister Lyle Wicks has ordered a second conciliation board for Penticton hospital workers despite union protests that he is exceeding his powers.

Hospital Employees' Federal Union (TLC) Local 180 agent, Bill Black, has charged the second board is a violation of the Labor Relations Act because an earlier board has "already exhausted all the processes of labor law."

The union has been trying to have a \$10.44 monthly boost implemented by the first board last May.

"This amounts to appointing a board to inquire into a board," said Black. "It's absolutely ridiculous."

He said the union would consider further protests, but if the labor minister insisted on new conciliation proceedings it would probably have to along with him.

The Penticton negotiations have been stalled along with wage talks at other hospitals throughout B.C. by Health Minister Eric Martin's budget freeze order.

And a labor department spokesman said earlier he could "see nothing in labor legislation to prevent conciliation boards being held indefinitely" so long as the hospital workers went on working under their 1954 contracts.

Mrs. F. Sharman Passed Away On Christmas Day

A resident of West Summerland for many years, Mrs. Florence Sharman passed away in Vancouver on Christmas day.

She was the widow of a former Summerland magistrate and orchardist, Hugh Sharman. Since the death of her husband she had been spending the winter months at the coast, returning to her Summerland residence during the other months of the year. She was a talented musician.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. H. Freeman of Vancouver, and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 p.m. from St. Stephen's Anglican Church, West Summerland, with committal at the Anglican Cemetery, West Summerland.

Summerland Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

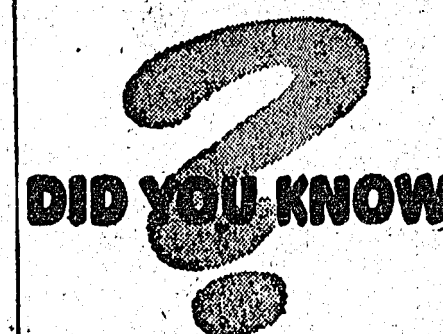
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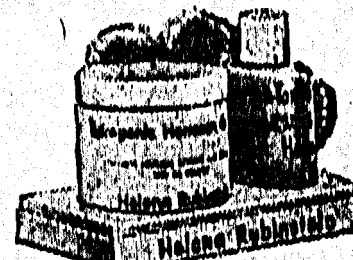
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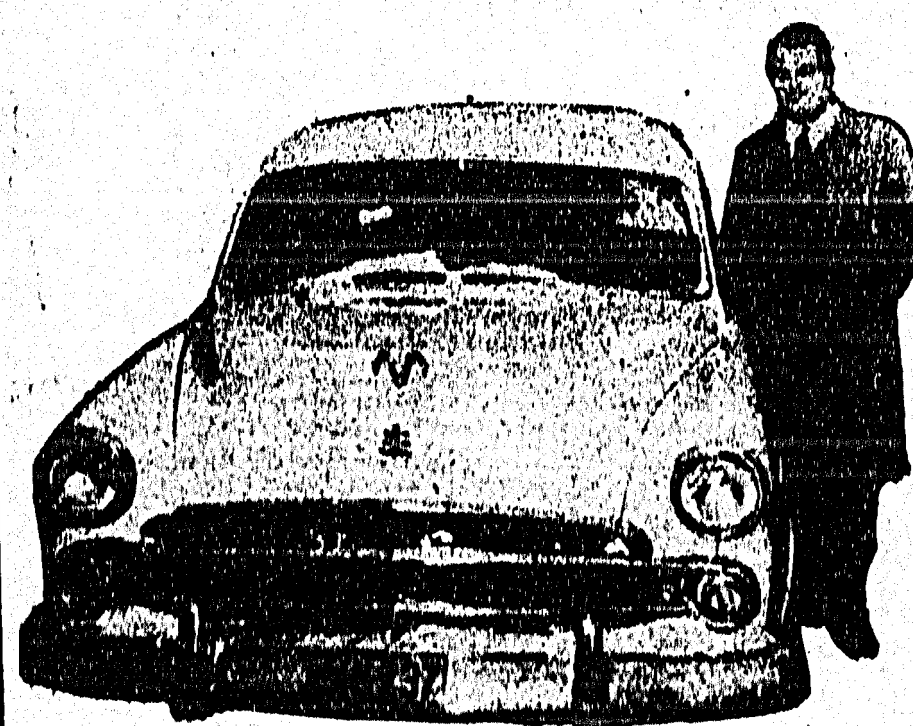
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1950 Monarch Sport Sedan — Turn signals, overdrive, seat covers, fender skirts. Regular \$1295. Special... \$1095

1950 Plymouth DeLuxe Tudor — Plastic sun visor, new tires. Regular \$895. Special... \$825

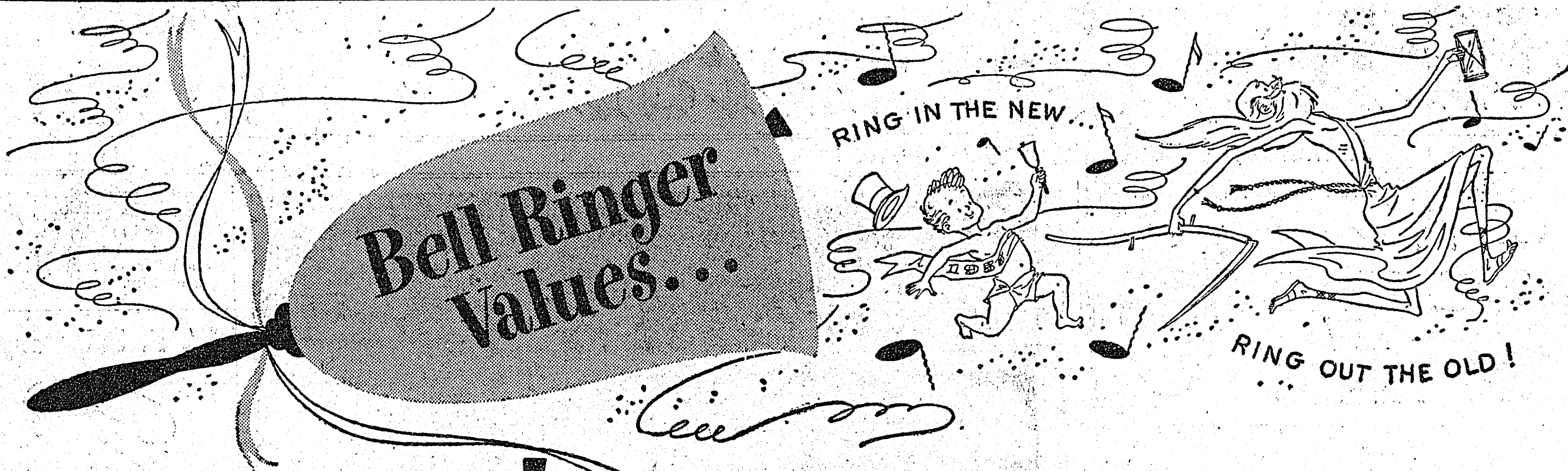
1950 Meteor Custom Tudor — Custom radio, two tone, seat covers. Reg. \$895. Special... \$795

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SAFEWAY'S YEAR-END SALE!

New Year's Party Foods

Shrimps	Clover Leaf, small	5 oz. Tin	48c
Ripe Olives	Ebony Giant	16 oz. Tin	36c
Dill Pickles	Libbys	28 oz. Tin	41c
Stuffed Olives	McLarens	8 oz. Jar	46c
Lobster	Savoy Fancy	5 oz. Tin	93c
Smoked Oysters	Sealode	4 oz. Tin	28c
Cocktail Sausage	Puritan Vienna	4 1/2 oz. Tin	21c
Potato Chips	Nalleys, Fresh	7 oz. Bag	35c
Ritz Biscuits	Christies	8 oz. Pkt	2 for 37c
Cheese Ritz	Christies	8 oz. Pkt	23c

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Pure Plum Jam	Empress	48 fl. oz. tin	59c
Spreadeasy Cheese		2-Lb. Pkg	99c
Pineapple Juice	Q.T.F.	20 oz. Tin	2 for 49c
Cake Mix	White or Chocolate	15 oz. Pkg	2 for 39c

Tomato Juice	Sunny Dawn	48 oz. Tin	2 for 65c
Grapefruit Juice	Town House	48 oz. Tin	29c
Pineapple Juice	Lalani	48 oz. Tin	32c
Lemon Juice	Sunkist	6 oz. Tin	2 for 27c
Tomato Juice Cocktail	Aylmer	20 oz	2 for 35c
Orange Juice	Old South, Frozen	6 oz.	2 for 33c
Sharp Cheese	Berkshire	1 lb.	65c

Pineapple Tidbits	Typhone	20 oz. Tin	25c
Fruit Salad	Taste Tells	15 oz. Tin	25c
Mixed Pickles	Libbys	16 oz. Jar	39c
Asparagus Tips	Penthouse	12 oz. Tin	39c
Cream Corn	Taste Tells	15 oz. Tin	2 for 31c
Mixed Vegetables	Clarimont	15 oz.	2 for 37c
Green Beans	Briargate	15 oz. Tin	2 for 31c

Prune Plums	Monica - Choice - Red	15 oz. Tin	4 for 49c
Margarine	Quartet - Economically Priced	1-Lb. Package	2 for 59c

Tumblers	Distinctive	Carton Of Eight	\$1.95
Marmalade	Empress - Pure Seville Orange	48 fluid oz. Tin	59c

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Expert Says Deer Herds Will Be Helped By Harvest

Pat Martin, regional game biologist of Kamloops, who is highly regarded throughout the province as an expert on the subject of game management, was in Vernon last week and carried out a count of deer in that area. While there he had the following interesting comments to make on deer herds and harvest this year:

From the point of harvest and recreation, the past season will be marked in our memories as one of the most successful on record.

Now that the shooting is over, many are looking back and wondering just what effect this heavy harvest will have upon next year's sport.

Current opinion varies from condemnation of the any sex season, through indifference to enthusiastic support of the practice.

Before we go further, let's ask a few questions relating to the matter. First, why was this season so productive? The answer to this question lies in a complex of factors.

We have experienced three mild winters in succession, hence very low losses of deer due to natural causes. The autumns have been mild and few of the deer were forced down into areas available to the hunters during the open season, hence harvests were light.

Reproduction, on the other hand, was good. The deer population increased accordingly. Now we have an early onset of winter; the large deer herds move down to areas available to hunters; and so the kill increased immediately.

The second question often

heard is: what effect this large kill will have upon future deer populations and future hunting?

Future hunting success depends upon two main factors: one, the size of the population; and two, the availability of that population.

Availability depends largely upon weather, fall weather. The size of the population depends largely upon weather — winter weather.

Quite frankly, the stage is set for heavy winter losses this winter. Snow depths are above average and in the event of thawing and subsequent freezing, a crust will form on the snow and many of the smaller and weaker deer will succumb.

We need not expect to have as large a deer population next year as we have had this year. We need never expect a long series of bumper crops of deer in succession, for early and hard winters promote good hunting on one hand and increase natural mortality on the other.

Why, you may ask, do we appear to promote heavy harvests in the face of imminent high natural mortality? Should we not conserve every possible deer for future breeding stock?

I would point out in answer to that argument, that as the severity of the winter increases the carrying capacity of our winter ranges decreases.

Hence, at the onset of a severe winter, a greater proportion of the herd is actually surplus (over the carrying capacity of the winter range) than at the onset of a mild winter. Accordingly we are justified in removing more.

If we do not, the winter will do it for us. The percentage losses in a well-thinned herd will be far less than the percentage losses in an uncropped herd of deer or moose.

In fact, the actual numbers surviving will be increased by judicious thinning. The carrying capacity of our winter ranges is the factor deciding the size of our big game herds. We are fully justified in cropping the complete surplus above that level.

I very much doubt that we have approached the full harvest of the surplus this year in any but the most heavily hunted localities.

One must keep in mind that where harvests are large, the population producing these harvests must have been large and available.

We have achieved a large harvest (in comparison with former years), in spite of the fact that many access roads were blocked with snow. Hence, only the margins of many deer ranges were actually cropped.

In spite of better than a full winter any deer season, hunting success was relatively high right up until the last day. If the herds were being decimated, then the late comers would have returned empty handed.

If we are to get the most out of our deer, which after all is the primary object of management, we must maintain healthy, rapidly-reproducing herds of deer in balance with the capacity of the ranges to support them.

This can only be accomplished by removing the surplus yearly. One cannot stockpile game, for if we do not reap the harvest in the fall, old man winter will do it for us later.

He didn't do it last winter or the year before but he surely seems to be preparing to do it this winter.

Our harvest of deer this fall has merely lessened the competition for food and shelter between the deer themselves. Those remaining have a better chance of survival.

Remember, it is better to have a moderate deer population and a slight surplus of feed, than a scarcity of feed and a lot of dead deer on the ranges come spring.

Almost all of what has been said of deer is equally applicable to the moose.

Our moose harvest has shown what a remarkable reproductive rate moose have, given reasonable living conditions.

The cow seasons of 1952 and 1954 have had no effect upon the bull kill of 1955.

This is clear proof that only surplus females were being cropped and the breeding stock is intact.

We have a long way to go and much to learn before we can lay claim to perfect or even ideal harvests.

The lessons learned in this and other seasons are slowly but surely pointing the way to more efficient use of our game resources and better hunting for all.

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Municipal and other securities, not exceeding market value	356,820,517
Cash loans, fully secured	74,788,180
Total quick assets	\$1,918,749,579
Other loans and discounts	1,168,841,182
Mortgages and hypothecs insured under N.H.A. (1954)	100,865,965
Bank premises	27,119,386
Liabilities of customers under acceptances, guarantees and letters of credit	62,423,760
Other assets	6,143,993
	\$3,284,143,865

LIABILITIES

Deposits	\$3,062,220,349
Acceptances, guarantees and letters of credit	62,423,760
Other liabilities	8,581,623
Total liabilities to the public	\$3,133,225,732
Capital paid up	42,000,000
Reserve Account	108,000,000
Undivided profits	918,133
	\$3,284,143,865

STATEMENT OF UNDIVIDED PROFITS

Profits for the year ended 30th November, 1955, after provision for depreciation and income taxes and after making transfers to inner reserves out of which full provision has been made for diminution in value of investments and loans	\$10,858,480
Dividends at the rate of \$1.57 1/2 per share	\$6,604,422
Extra distribution at the rate of 20¢ per share	840,000
	7,444,422
Balance of undivided profits, 30th November, 1954	3,414,058
	1,504,075
	\$ 4,918,133
Transferred to Reserve Account	4,000,000
Balance of undivided profits, 30th November, 1955	\$ 918,133

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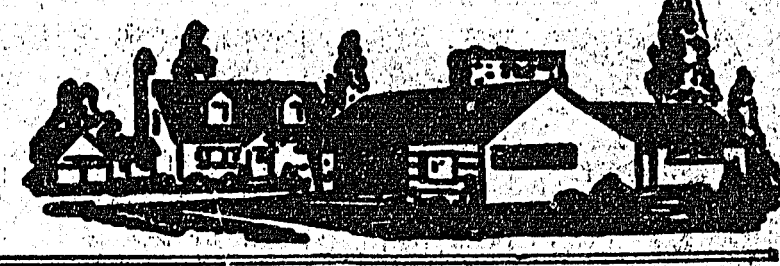


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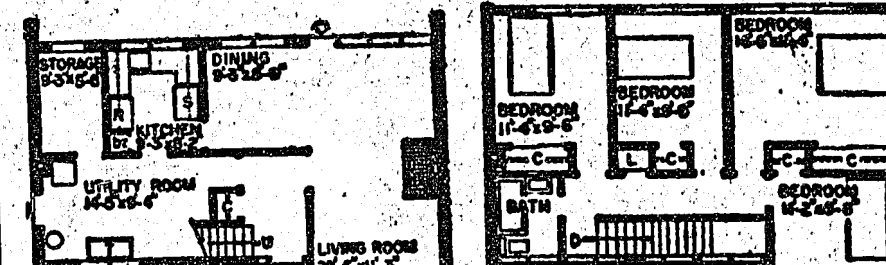
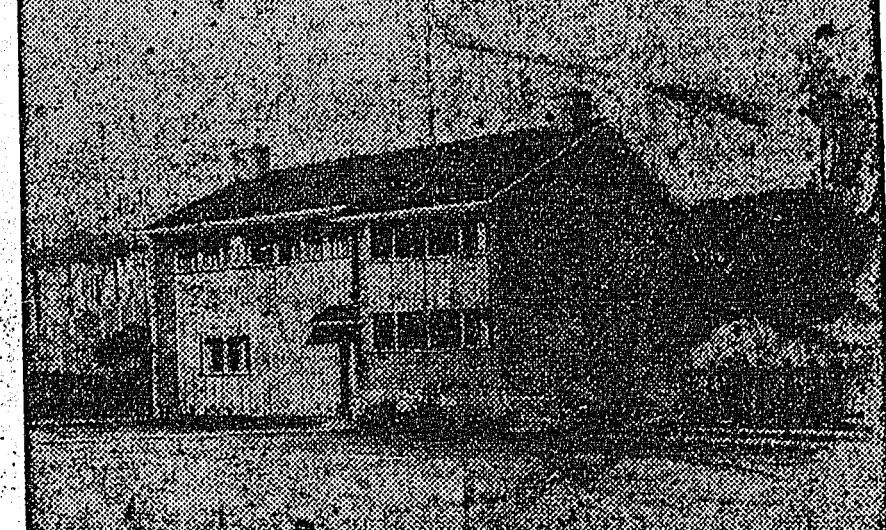
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 All rooms in the house are well-lighted and this is particularly true of the L-shaped dining and living room, which also features a fireplace with tile hearth. The kitchen is conveniently arranged with a U-shaped work area that should appeal to the housewife while the master bedroom measures 14 feet, six inches by 11 feet, four inches and contains a double clothes closet.
 The total floor area of the house is 1,547 square feet while the cubic measurement is 16,740 cubic feet. The exterior dimensions are 34 feet by 36 feet. Working drawings for the house, known as Design 603, may be obtained from Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation at minimum cost.

Season Here For Window Trouble

This is the season of window problems.
 Panes fogged with condensation are dripping moisture on woodwork and wallpaper, leaving streaks on the glass to spoil last week's window washing job.
 Jack Frost's chilly are work on the glass makes us move our chairs closer to the middle of the room. Drafts whistle in around the edges of sash and frame to remind us that our little shack is neither tight nor snug.
 It all makes you wonder how people will live in these new houses that have glass walls two stories high.
 Well, for one thing, they'll have to live right and keep their houses ventilated enough to get rid of excess humidity from baths and cooking, laundering and indoor house plants. They will use double glazing, or wood framed storm windows to prevent cold surfaces that sweat and chill. Secure weather-stripping and caulking will prevent cold air from being blown in or sucked in around their windows and doors.
 New developments have made all of this possible and practicable. In fact, the recent construction of skyscrapers with curtain walls of windows set in metal panels has brought about a new big industry in caulking. The metal panels expand and contract so much that new elastic caulking materials had to be invented.
 If your windows rattle and whistle in the winter wind, you don't have to change the name on your mail box to "Wuthering Heights." A lot of progress has been made in window design.
 Railroad cars and buses are probably not the only places you have wrenched a wrist trying to open a stubborn window. So the millwork people got smart and from now on their best windows not only have to be weather-stripped, but also will have a clearance within 1/32nd of an inch and will have spring, spiral or pulley balances that call for only the amount of energy to match the weight of the sash, plus a friction load of 1.2 pounds per inch.
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A manufacturer of pre-fabricated homes says that eventually 90 percent of all single-family homes would be factory-produced.
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 Knox said the prefabbers now account for about 10 percent of all homes produced in the U.S. He declared, "our job is to capture 20, 40 and ultimately 90 percent of this tremendous field. The only thing that will stand in the way of this goal in the next 10 or 20 years is lack of vigorous action and imaginative thinking on our own part."

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Yellow Latest Color Craze

Latest color craze in the home fashion field is yellow.
 Actually, that's a pretty wide range, as the yellows run from very pale yellow to dark old gold shades.

Recent New York showing of room settings showed yellow in every room. An Oriental modern bedroom used Ming yellow for the background of some floral-patterned drapes and the walls were covered with a brown and gold parquet patterned wallpaper that had an old bronze look. Brass accents on the furniture hardware and lamps kept the yellow mood intact.

A formal modern livingroom used metallic gold flecked upholstery to pick up the pale yellow of the casement curtains and the gold portions of the drapery print.

In another bedroom setting, a gold rug was the color highlight of the room, and the wallpaper

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included pale yellow flowers. Citron yellow, a very pale shade, was used for the walls and curtains of a kitchen setting, to blend in well with the olive green table and stools.

A youngster's room is a good spot for the light and bright look of yellow — this room setting was almost all yellow, with varying shades of it present in the curtains as well as on the pale yellow painted furniture.

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Retiring Councillor Reports On Summerland's Water System

SUMMERLAND — At the close of his term of office as councillor where among many duties he served as chairman of water and irrigation, H. R. J. Richards has made the following year-end report on this department of Summerland's municipal affairs. The report in full follows:

As the diversion flume and ditch from Crescent Creek to No. 4 dam is no longer in usable condition, it will appear necessary to do the following work as soon as possible in order not to be caught short of water in the dry years which will come sooner or later.

Deer Lake needs work done on the dam, a new spillway should be made and a new control gate installed in 1956.

Canyon Dam needs work on the tunnel and control gate and also, the spillway should be built to conform to the recommendations of engineers Messrs. Penfold and Barton, made some 12 years ago. To do this work economically, the road started this year should be finished.

Whitehead Dam should have work done on the spillway and the dam and control gate should be checked.

No. 2 dam requires watching to see that those using boats do not cut the boom log. If this occurs again the resort owners will be held responsible.

Measures should be taken to keep beaver from below the dam at No. 1. I would suggest that a long culvert of small diameter be tried.

Eneas dam should have a small amount of work done on it and Garnett Valley dam should have more fill to make the top level.

The dead timbers should be burned near the spillway at Thirsk dam so that the boom log does not get broken again.

I think that the foreman's salary should be increased because of increased responsibility on-fall and to bring it in line with that of other department heads.

Regarding domestic water the ten-inch asbestos main on the South Prairie Valley Road to the junction with the KVR road is not completed yet. It is the intention to finish this as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

The new intake and screening system at the reservoir will be completed in the spring.

The chlorinating plant, in my opinion, should be moved closer to the reservoir, to the site selected by the department, in order to serve all domestic water users on the Trout Creek system.

I think that half of the cost of making repairs to the intake on Trout Creek, which will soon be necessary, should be borne by the domestic water department.

It is also necessary, I think, to start as soon as possible on renewing the winter pipeline. This can be spread over several years but a start should be made soon.

I would also like to suggest that every effort be made to supply the Trout Creek district with a domestic water service without putting too much of a financial burden on the present domestic water system.

Color Raise In Spartan Apple

Northern District Council, B.C. Fruit Growers' Association, has gone on record requesting the parent body that color requirements for the Spartan apple, a variety finding large favor in the north end of the valley, should be set on the same level as McIntosh.

Motion was made at the annual meeting in Vernon.

Present color requirements for the Spartan variety are not covered by the Fruit and Honey act.

Council also went on record as favoring an amendment to the contract to cover some forms of financial loss due to strike action. Any such claims for loss would be approved by a committee.

Election of officers saw J. M. Kosti going in for a fifth term as chairman, J. B. Kidston, a second term as vice-chairman and Allan Clavidge, a second term as secretary-treasurer.

Nominated by locals of the council for industry positions were A. R. Garrish, president of BCFGA; J. E. Wood and J. M. Kosti from the association executive; J. G. Campbell, chairman of the B.C. Fruit Board, and members, A. G. DesBrisay and W. A. Kemp; B.C. Fruit Processors A. W. Gray and Peter Wing.

Locals in council received three names as nominees for governor — H. W. Byatt, T. S. Towgood and J. K. Watson. Two will be nominated for governors by the council.

Next meeting of the council will be in January at the time of the BCFGA convention. Two nominees for governor will be chosen at that meeting.

C. Husband, chairman of the labor committee of the council gave a report on his department's work, citing difficulty in lack of harvest help.

New Year's And Superstition Go Hand In Hand

Mankind has always been superstitious about New Year's.

In olden times families sought a glimpse into the future by the "dipping" custom. The head of the family, with his eyes closed, opened the family Bible and indicated a passage with his finger; the text, solemnly read and interpreted was indicative of the luck — good or bad — that was in store for them.

Probably one of the most widespread superstitions concerned the first person to cross the threshold on New Year's morning. Women and light-haired men were considered unlucky, as were people who walked pigeontoed.

In some villages, the superstition was taken so seriously that a dark-haired man was hired to be the firstfoot. Going from house to house, he would be the first person to cross the threshold, thus preserving the good fortune of the community.

We moderns make as much noise as possible, presumably because our primitive ancestors believed that noise would keep evil influences at a distance.

Temperatures Vary Inside Home Freezer

A home economist warns housewives that many frozen foods deteriorate because the temperature varies in different parts of a home freezer.

Frozen foods lose their tastiness if kept at temperatures higher than zero. Even though most of the area in a freezer

remains at that temperature, the foods next to the door may be several degrees warmer.

The rule applies equally to chest-type and upright freezers. In an upright, oddly enough, the coldest part may be the top shelf.

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Evangelist Wesley H. Wakefield
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Come! You Are Welcome

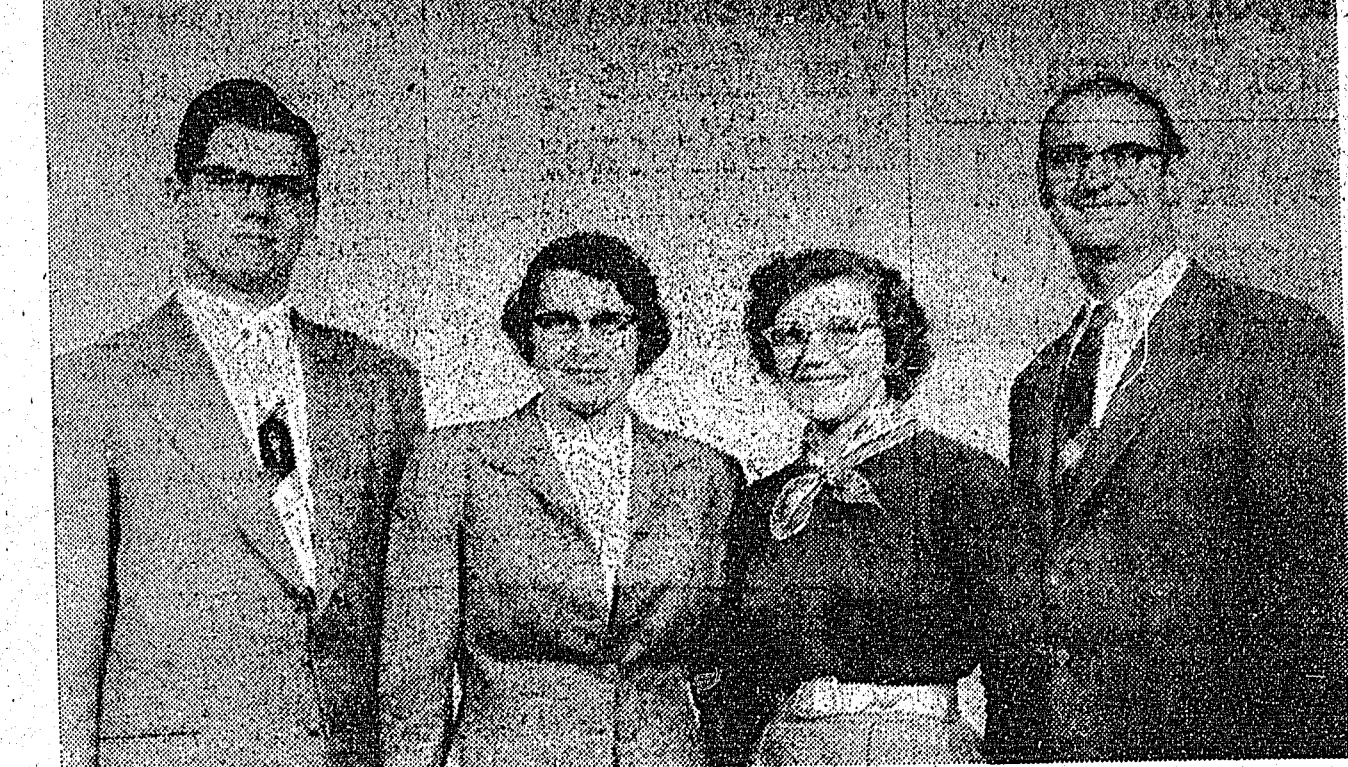
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Left to right — A. F. Danley, Mrs. A. F. Danley, Mrs. Claude H. Werden, and Claude H. Werden, who will speak at the semi-annual circuit assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses to be held at Oliver, December 30, 31, and January 1.

ALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS NEED GOVERNING REGULATIONS SAYS MINISTER OF EDUCATION

Because the provincial government is endeavoring to make sure that all the school districts are treated with "equity and justice," regulations to govern all of them are necessary, Education Minister Ray Williston has informed the B.C. School Trustees' Association.

But, he added, governing regulations "should not be regarded as interference with autonomy." The department "has the greatest confidence" in school boards and believes in each board developing its educational system to meet its needs, he stated. To assist them the government contributes from 45 to 95 per cent of the cost of education in the various districts, depending upon taxable resources of each.

Mr. Williston's statement came in answer to the B.C. School Trustees' Association resolution at the recent Qualicum Beach convention asking for a check on centralization of school authority, and for restoration to local authorities of "a much larger degree of control over administrative matters which as elected representatives of the taxpayers they have previously enjoyed."

The minister's statement, as included in the annual report of the B.C. School Trustees' Association, now being prepared for distribution.

In another statement replying to a trustee resolution asking for revision of the present school building manual he indicated the immediate objective is to meet B.C.'s constant demand for more classrooms and building regulations are designed to that end.

Mr. Williston admitted present construction standards are "conservative," but if more expensive schools were permitted, fewer would be built and a situation that is already difficult would be intensified.

"Even with existing standards it is most difficult to keep up with the expanding school population," he said.

He invited proposals from school boards for future revision of the school building manual.

With respect to a requested increase in number of inspectors he replied that in the period 1948-55 the inspectorial staff had been increased from 35 to 49, with consequent reduction in the size of inspectorates.

But, he warned, "It is undesirable and uneconomic to continue indefinitely reducing the size of inspectorates and drawing off highly qualified principals to the inspectorial staff."

Mr. Williston indicated a new plan involving appointment of teacher-consultants by school boards, would be offered shortly along with regulations to govern the appointments.

The convention had requested that increases in budgets due to higher teachers' salaries, whether by negotiations or arbitration, be included in "approved increases" in calculating government grants to school boards.

He replied that "consideration will be given to the subject of this resolution when it can be demonstrated that increases in assessments and other factors do not compensate for the increases in teachers' salaries."

"In other words," he said, "if the burden of taxation for school purposes is shown to bear too heavily on the local taxpayer, revisions will be made."

He said it was not practical to revise the grant calculation formula annually as urged in another resolution.

Circuit Assembly Jehovah's Witnesses To Be Held At Oliver

Oliver will be the host to over 700 delegates to the forthcoming semi-annual circuit assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses on December 30, 31 and January 1. Delegates will come from the South Okanagan and the Similkameen valleys. It is expected that 60 delegates will attend from here. H. Maiks, Pentiction, presiding minister of the local congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, said the purpose of these assemblies is to co-ordinate the missionary work world wide. A similar assembly was held in Enderby last week with 691 attending.

A. F. Danley, international lecturer from Toronto, will be the principal speaker appearing on the program all three days and will deliver the widely advertised discourse "Overcoming the Fears of This Generation" January 1 at 3 p.m.

Claude H. Werden, who was a recent visitor in Pentiction, will also appear on the program.

Mr. Danley and Mr. Werden, accompanied by their wives, attended the World Wide assemblies of Jehovah's Witnesses last summer which started at Vancouver and on across America to New York, then London, England, Paris, Rome, Switzerland, and Newemburg, Germany. They expressed appreciation for these assemblies where unity and love was so manifest among the over 350,000 attending.

Mr. Danley said it is hoped that many more will take an active interest in Bible education and stressed the urgency of our times. He extended a warm invitation to all persons of goodwill to attend the Oliver assembly, all the sessions being open to the public.

EVERYTHING

A successful and influential businessman who lay dying summoned his best friend to his bedside and elicited from him a promise to see that his mortal remains be cremated. The friend agreed, and cautiously and reverently asked, "And what do you want me to do with the ashes?"

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Wherefore the Lord said, For as much as this people draw near me with their mouth, and with their lips do honour me, but have removed their heart far from me, and their fear toward me is taught by the precept of men: and they say, Who seeth us? and who knoweth us?—Isa. 29:13, 16.

As you travel through '55, may every day bring you good fortune, good health, good cheer.

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In today's hand, West was unwilling to lead away from his king or from either of his queens. Hoping to avoid the loss of a trick, West therefore opened a trump.

South took full advantage of this feeble opening lead. Declarer drew three rounds of trumps and then led a diamond, allow-

would get the chance to force out dummy's ace of clubs before the diamonds had been established. This would defeat the slam. In general, a good rule to remember is that a trump lead is desirable against a slam only when the bidding makes it clear that declarer means to ruff extensively in the dummy.

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CPR Announces Staff Changes

VANCOUVER — Assistant superintendent for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Cranbrook, since 1950, David P. Shepard, formerly of Vancouver, Winnipeg and Moose Jaw, has been named assistant land agent for the company at Vancouver. Announcement of Mr. Shepard's posting to the new railway office was made by William Manson, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific's Pacific Region. The appointment is effective January 1, 1956.

Named to succeed Mr. Shepard at Cranbrook is E. H. Lewthwaite, who has been assistant superintendent for the CPR at Field, for the past six years.

Also named to a new post as assistant superintendent at Field is D. W. Davis, night chief dispatcher at Revelstoke. Mr. Davis has been at Revelstoke with the Canadian Pacific since March, 1949.

New Zealand's kiwi bird has no tail and almost no wings, burrows like a groundhog, lays an egg a quarter of its own weight, has whiskers like a cat's and nostrils at the tip of its long beak.

ing the enemy to win the trick. The defenders were now helpless. East made his best try by returning a club, but South put up the king of clubs in order to save dummy's ace for a later occasion. South then cashed dummy's top diamonds, ruffed a diamond, and got back to dummy with the ace of clubs in order to cash the last diamond. This gave him his twelfth trick, allowing him to fulfill the slam contract.

West could have defeated the slam if he had made a more enterprising opening lead. A heart opening would have forced out declarer's ace at once. When South eventually gave up a diamond trick, the opponents would be able to cash their hearts.

Even a club opening lead would have worked out better for the defenders. South would win the first trick with the king of clubs, to be sure, but East

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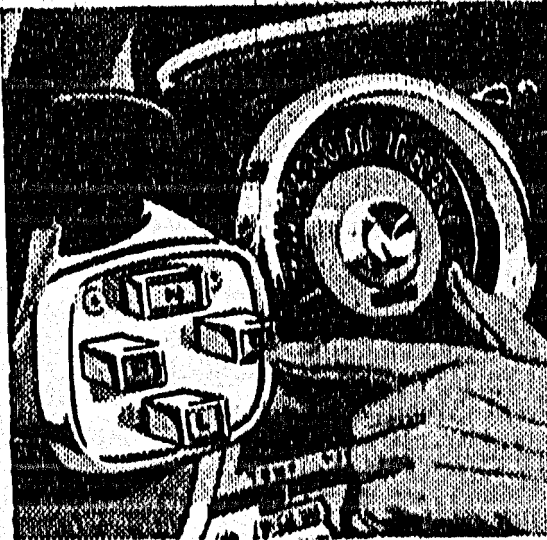
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Party Needs

Ginger Ale	Gurds - 6 10-ounce Bottles (plus deposit)	42c
Coca-Cola	Carton of Six (plus deposit)	42c
Seven-Up	Carton of Six (plus deposit)	42c
Ginger Ale	Canada Dry - Quart (plus deposit)	35c
Ritz Biscuits	Christies 8 oz. Pkt.	19c
Cheese	Danish Blue Pound	75c
Cheese	Dutch Edam Pound	75c
Smoked Oysters	Cloverleaf 4 oz. Tin	37c
Stuffed Olives	Nabob - Manz 7 oz. Jar	47c
Ripe Olives	Mt. Whitney - Medium 10 oz. Tin	34c
Mixed Nuts	Party Mix 14 oz. Cello	75c
Potato Chips	Nalleys 7 oz. Pkt.	35c
Sweet Mix Pickles	Nalleys 26 oz. Jar	55c
Shoestring Potatoes	Nalleys 2 for	35c

For Your New Year's Dinner

Crabmeat	Nabob - Fancy 1/2 Lb. Tin	69c
Niblets Corn	14 oz. Tin	22c
Peas	Nabob - 3's 15 oz. Tin	22c
Plum Pudding	Crosse and Blackwell 16 oz. Tin	55c
Ice Cream	Noen Quart	47c
Cranberry Sauce	Ocean Spray - 15 oz. Tin	2 for 49c
Bread	Martha White - 16 oz. Loaf	2 for 27c



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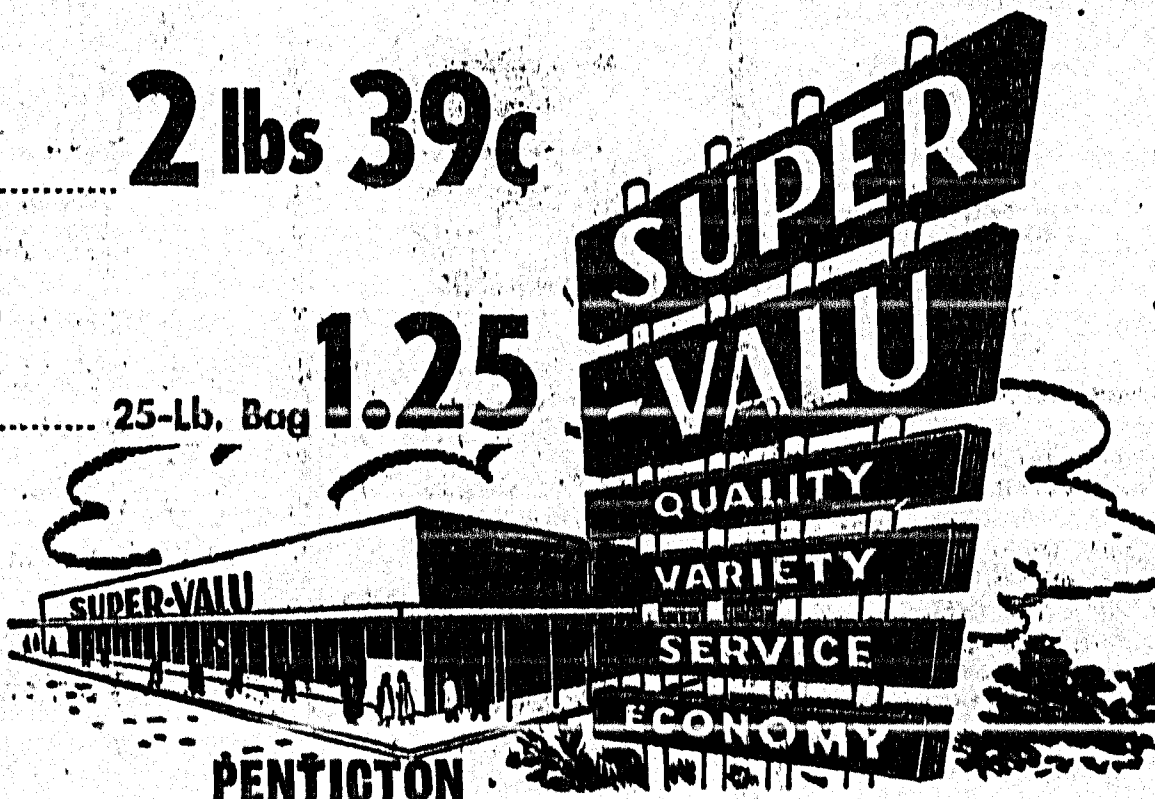
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Bridesville Notes

BRIDESVILLE — Friends of Victor and Lois Madge gathered at the Rock Creek Institute Hall, December 17, to wish them good luck in their new home at Osoyos. After singing and dancing, everyone gathered in the supper room where Bill Harpur spoke on some of the little incidents of Kettle Valley and this Boundary district. They were presented with a beautiful night lamp.

Mrs. Evelyn Phillips of Vancouver spent a day here arranging for the removal of her furniture to Kamloops, where she has been transferred.

Miss Katherine Piedmont, who attends Notre Dame College at Nelson, spent Christmas with her parents.

W. van Dyck spent a few days in Vancouver recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Winsor have moved into the Courtenay house.

Miss Inge Bourgh returned to Vernon Saturday, after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bourgh.

Sunday, December 18, 82 people sat down to a Christmas supper in the Rock Creek hall. There was roast chicken, goose, turkey and pork, complete with trimmings and according to Mr. Beagle, no end of pies. The occasion was the Rock Creek Sunday School Christmas program in which 42 children took part. The teachers directing the program were G. Seimens, Miss Pearl Seimens, Miss Joan Seimens and Miss Eileen Kelly. Mrs. Margaret Eek was responsible for the supper, going smoothly and all the ladies are to be congratulated on serving a most delicious meal.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lyons of Creston are visiting Mrs. Molly Hedlund.

The local school children performed to a full house on December 15, in the school. Program was as follows:

Recitation — Linda Flexhaug, Kindergarten Christmas Class — teacher, Miss Letitia Schorn; pupils, Bob Gillen, Shannon Kienas, Charlotte Kienas, Paul Landells, Judy DuMont, Larry Winsor, Danny Miller and Richard Lawless.

Recitation — Leslie Lawless, "Christmas Exercises" — Janet Gillen, Pat Henley, Letitia Schorn, Connie Spooner, Alice Harman, Shannon Kienas, Susan Garrett.

Recitation — Lincoln Blaine, "Sparky and His Pal" — Elsie Lehmann, Gordon Bostock, Lynne Blaine, Mary Harman, Ann Garrett, Donnie Spooner, Florence Seimens, Gus Bourgh, Michael Schorn, Neil Caven, Gary Spooner, Leslie Lawless, David Still, Sven Bourgh, Allen Arkell, Don Arkell, Sally Greshner, Sharon Flexhaug and Eileen Lehmann.

Balloon Dance — Sally Greshner and Lincoln Blaine; Eileen Lehmann and Gary Spooner, Letitia Schorn and Michael Schorn.

LITTLE LIZ



Maybe the reason so many people get lost in thought is because it's unfamiliar territory.

Connie Spooner and Sven Bourgh, Sharon Flexhaug and David Still, "A Cause to Serve" — Bonnie Miller, Annie Greshner, Louis Lawless, Anna May Bourgh, Billy Greshner, Ginny Miller, Rita Bourgh, Donna Noske, Lorraine Spooner.

"The Practical Test" — Beatrice Harman, Nancy Hedlund, Arthur Harman, Pat Shamber, Larry Lehmann, Billy Lawless, Gary Kehoe, Harold Harman.

During the intermission, Mr. Howell led the audience in the singing of Christmas carols. Mary Harman played an accordion solo. "The First Noel" was sung by the Senior Room girls. Later Santa arrived with bags of candy and gifts for all the children. Oranges and candy were passed around to the audience. The P.T.A. served coffee, sandwiches and cake when the program was over.

On December 10, the Rock Creek and Boundary District Fall Fair Association sponsored a banquet in honor of Kathy Bistock and Brian Lee, 4H club members who have brought honor to this district. Both these young people won in the Provincial elimination of beef judging at Armstrong; Brian winning a trip to Toronto Royal Winter Fair. Terry Smith acted as master of ceremonies. Speakers included Fraser Carmichael, District Agriculturist; Neil Smith, leader of the Boundary District 4H clubs, and Jack Harman. Bill Harpur presented Kathy and Brian with pen and pencil sets, gifts from the Fair Association. Howard Smith proposed a toast to the 4H Clubs. Bill Hutton led a community singing while preparations were being made to show films. Mrs. J. Harman convened for the dinner, a most delicious meal.

Patients in St. Martin's hospital, Oliver, recently included Mrs. K. Landells, Rudolf Neilsen, Keith Cooper, Charlotte Kienas and Teddy Blaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Henley and Pat left Saturday morning by car for the coast, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. W. Henley at New Westminster and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hutton in Vancouver.

Miss Peggy Bostock is home from Oliver for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kangan left by bus Friday to spend the holidays at Grand Forks and Castlegar.

The homes of Jim Gillen and Jim Miller have been a little busier than most with the bringing of about 600 turkeys. Neighbors have been wonderful in lending a hand.

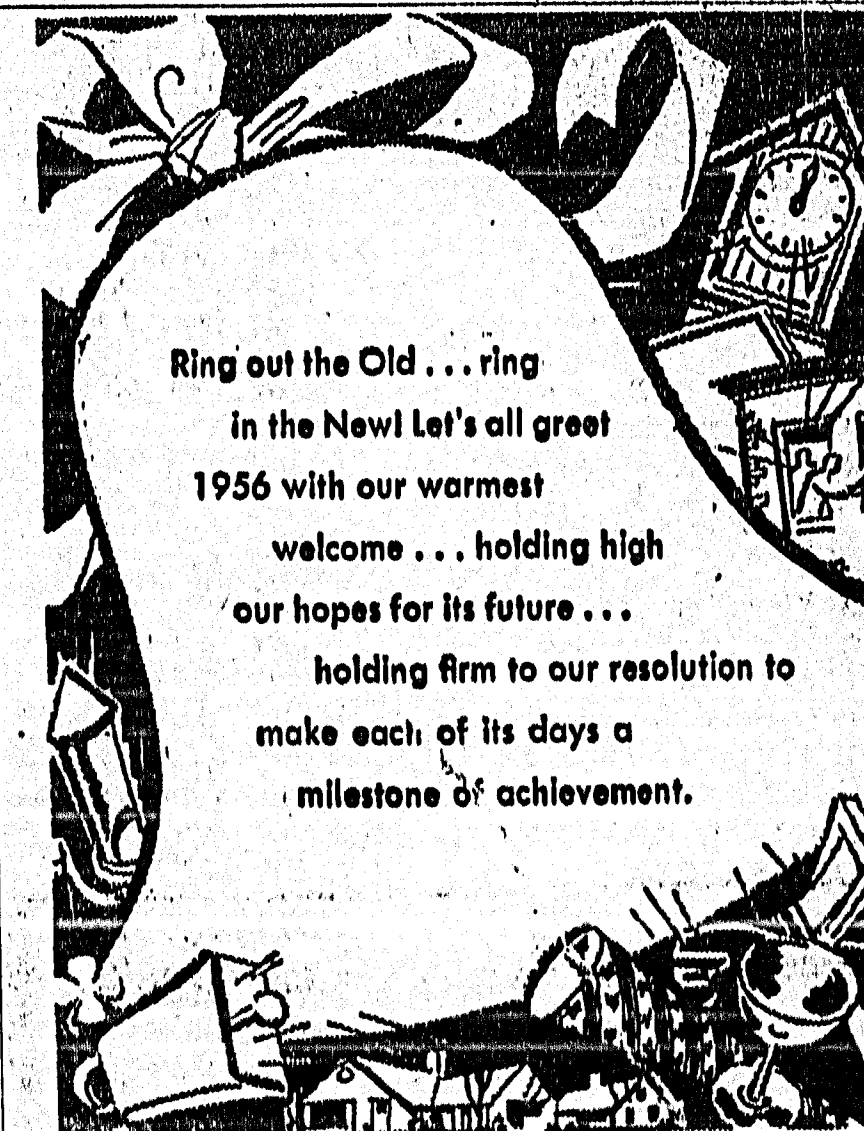
Big New Year Dance Billed At Summerland

SUMMERLAND — Again this New Year's, Summerland Youth Centre Association will hold a big dance in the Youth Centre and it is expected that it will be the rousing success that it was last year.

A. F. Crawford is president of the Youth Centre Association and Ken Almond and his orchestra have been engaged to keep everyone's toes tingling.

Students may obtain tickets for 75c by showing their student's card.

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In And Out Of Summerland

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, Judy and Jamie, spent the Christmas weekend at the coast where they visited Mr. Mitchell's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. B. St. Denis and family of North Vancouver were holiday guests at the home of Mrs. St. Denis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Campbell, Jones Flat.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gould were at Oliver for Christmas at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nisbet and Miss Marjorie Nisbet drove to Vernon to spend Christmas at the home of their niece, Mrs. Watson at Lavington.

Miss Dorothy Blacklock was in Vancouver for Christmas at the home of her mother, Mrs. Nora Blacklock. Other guests of Mrs. Blacklock were her son, Don, home from UBC, and her son-in-law and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Smith from Enderby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Mahony were Christmas visitors with the Smythies at Lavington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Tunbridge of Mission are visiting this week at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Tingley.

Talmadge McDonald of Edmonton has returned to that city after being here for Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dodwell and family of Vancouver visited for Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Dodwell, Prairie Valley.

Miss Edna Trayler of Vancouver spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Trayler.

Larry Higgin of Kamloops was a holiday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Higgin, Crescent Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Trafford and Leigh have gone to Vancouver to visit at the home of Mrs. Trafford's mother in West Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Maxwell and family of Vancouver Heights visited during the holidays at the home of Mrs. Maxwell's mother, Mrs. James Ritchie and her

brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Brown.

Percy McLaughlin of Armstrong visited at the home of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Elliott, last week.

Miss Nancy Fleming of Vancouver was here for Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Fleming.

Miss Ruth Dale is visiting at the coast this week.

Douglas Boothe of Vancouver is spending the Christmas vacation at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Boothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnston and their family of Ainsworth, B.C., and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Miller of Kelowna, spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Johnston.

Walter Bendickson, Billy Ward, and Vaughan Coggan, drove to California before Christmas where Mr. Bendickson is attending his sister's wedding. They will return just after New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kirk of Trout Creek were Christmas visitors at the home of the former's brother and sister-in-law at Lavington.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heuckendorf of Burnaby spent Christmas with C. E. Bentley in Trout Creek and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Higgins, Crescent Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Falding were at Osoyoos for Christmas at the home of the former's father.

Mrs. E. Nicholson who broke a leg when she slipped on the ice at West Summerland is reported to be in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott came from Vancouver to spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. Scott's mother, Mrs. James Darke, and with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gayton.

Home from UBC for Christmas are Miss Frances Atkinson, Miss Medori Matsu, Miss Jean Johnston, Roger Smith, Don Blacklock and Don Allison.

Miss Lynn Adcock of Vancouver and Vernon was a holiday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mitchell expect their son, Melvin, who is with the RCAF in Newfoundland, to be home on leave early in January.

Mrs. Florence Stark is away on a three-months' vacation at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Laramie at Ellensburg, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Elsey of Bella Coola and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Robertson and their two daughters of Tatla Lake, B.C., were Christmas visitors at the home of Mr. Elsey's and Mrs. Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Elsey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gayton motored to Lavington for Christmas Day at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Donaldson.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. MacDonald during the Christmas season were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McDonald of North Vancouver.

C. H. Elsey accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bleasdale

left by car for Vancouver on Boxing Day.

Miss Elizabeth Theed is spending a vacation in Vancouver and Victoria.

George Rowson who has been in Summerland for Christmas visiting with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Croft has left for his home in Manitoba.

A. Trayler of White Rock is a visitor at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Trayler.

Miss Carol Graham who is attending the provincial normal school at Victoria is spending her holidays at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Graham.

Ross Tingley of Vancouver was home for the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Tingley.

Alex Steven has gone to Vancouver to stay for an indefinite time with his daughters there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barg and Nancy of Mission are holiday guests at the home of Mrs. Barg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Arndt.

Mrs. Paul Roberge who is attending normal school at Vancouver is home for the Christmas vacation.


Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Bennett of Vancouver have been guests with Mrs. Bennett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Murphy.

While many people wish to reduce, there are many who would like to add a few pounds to their weight. To do this, use Canada's Food Rules as the basic diet and then eat creamy soups, desserts and between meal snacks. If the weight is much below normal, the doctor should be consulted.

RECIPE FOR NEW YEAR'S PUNCH

Take yourself
Peel off the layers of egotism
and jealousy
Remove the seeds of unkind
thoughts
Cut out the prejudices, worries
and fears
Then add:
One firm belief that life is worth
living
One strong determination to live
at your best
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plaudits.
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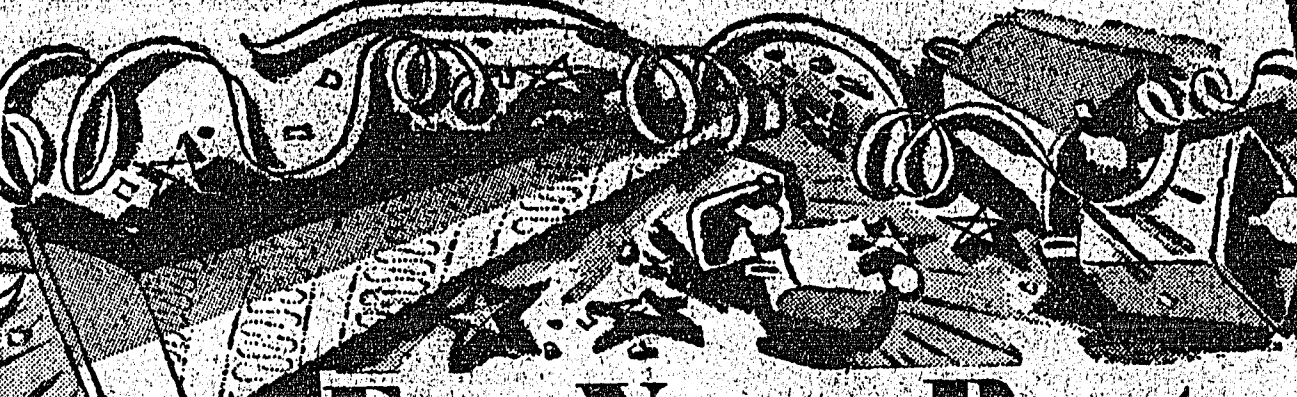
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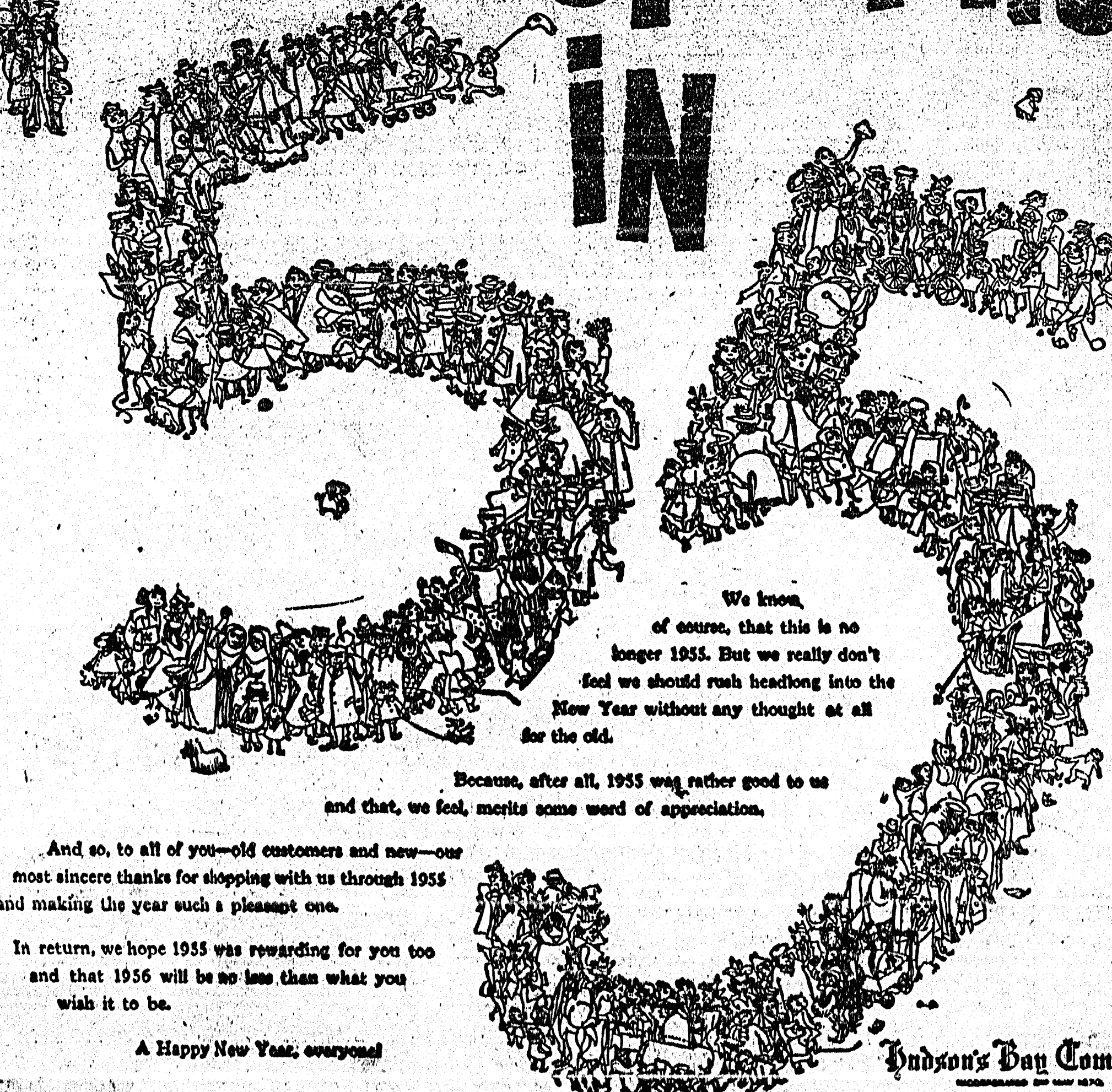
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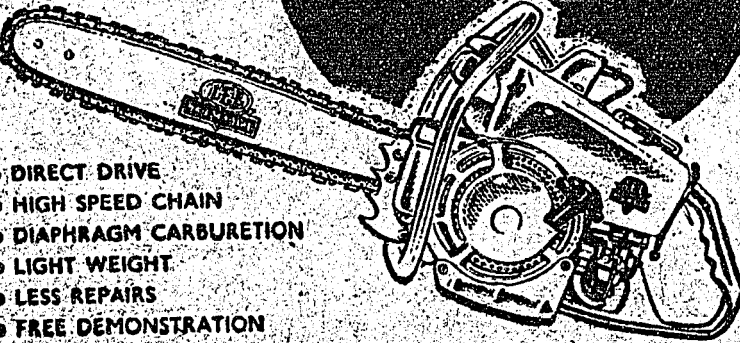
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